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SWITZERLAND'S RICHARDS CRUISES TO HIS THIRD-STRAIGHT SECTIONAL CROWN **PAGE B1**

Recent events lead Mayor to seek review of event guidelines

BY BOB DEMAREE
With a concern for safety, Mayor Bob Courtney announced at Monday's Board of Public Works and Safety (BPWS) meeting that city leaders will review Madison's event planning guidelines.
Courtney began requiring event plans as part of street closures and similar requests more than two years ago, but is now asking that those guidelines be revisited in response to the New Year's Day incident in New Orleans where 14 people were killed in a truck-ramming attack on Bourbon Street.

"I think it's time to make another review of the event safety guidelines that we implemented a couple of years ago," said Courtney. "Safety is the most important thing relative to hosting a lot of our outdoor festival events throughout the community. We made some great strides in creating a focus with our event organizers on safety to the point now they're going through

an event safety plan and submitting that to the city for review and evaluation."
Courtney said he's concerned because of recent tragedies including New Orleans and other similar incidents in which vehicles have driven through festival areas where there have been street closures.
In Madison, Courtney said, "We have a lot of events throughout the course of the year where we close the street and there's a lot of pedestrian activity on the

street, but probably not proper safeguards to harden the entrances into the pedestrian area ... We have a lot of events in our community where we are trusting that they are safe, and we need to do more in order to harden those areas for safety purposes."
Courtney said Police Chief Shawn Scudder and Communications Director Hannah Mahoney will organize discussions on reviewing the safety requirements for festivals and

events. He expects a recommendation on updating the event planning requirements at the next BPWS meeting Tuesday, Feb. 18.
"This is a risk management discussion," said Courtney. "Everybody can have fun and we can do it safely, but from a risk management perspective we know that insurance, and particularly liability insurance for public entities is getting more

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Talks underway for proposed Fitness Court in Jefferson County

BY BOB DEMAREE
A proposal for an outdoor Fitness Court in Jefferson County has moved forward for consideration after recent discussion with city of Madison, town of Hanover and Jefferson County officials, and representatives of the Bethany Legacy Foundation.
The proposal for an outdoor Fitness Court in Jefferson County was introduced by the National Fitness Campaign last summer to the county's Health and Human Relations Commission (HHRC) which provided an update at its meeting Thursday.
The Fitness Court would have several exercise stations including pull-up bars, a lunge course, bend stations and more that are based on a seven-movement full body workout of core, squat, push, lunge, pull, agility and bend.

The cost for the court ranges from from \$150,000 to \$250,000 with the possibility of a contribution of grant funding for a portion of that expense from National Fitness Campaign.
HHRC chair Jane Stormer said recently a meeting was held "telling community leaders about the options to have the Fitness Court," and that there will be studies done to determine best suited locations in Jefferson County.
Commissioner David Bramer, who also serves on the HHRC, said the meeting with local officials was "encouraging," adding "the pieces are coming together to give it a good probability of happening somewhere" in Jefferson County — either the city of Madison or the town

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BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Address at Hanover kicks off February activities

BY BOB DEMAREE
February is Black History Month, and there are opportunities to share that history in Jefferson County beginning with a Black History Month address at Hanover College by Indiana Poet Laureate Curtis Crisler.
Crisler, an award-winning poet and young-adult author, was named Indiana's eighth official poet laureate last year by the Indiana Arts Commission.
Crisler's address, at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday in Hanover College's Duggan Library, is open to the public free of charge, and part of Indiana Humanities' Indiana Authors Awards Speaker Program.
A native of Gary, Ind., Crisler earned a bachelor's degree in English at Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne and a Master of Fine Arts at Southern Illinois University Carbondale.
Crisler will return to Jefferson County on Thursday, Feb. 27, as part of weekly Black History Month programs, organized by Sue Livers, that

will be held at the Picker House at the Eagle Cotton Mill Fairfield Inn and Suites each Thursday at 6 p.m.
Other Black History Month programs there will feature three authors — Michael Jones on Feb. 6; Zayla Jackson on Feb. 13; and D.L. McIntyre on Feb. 20.
Jones, the economic development reporter for Louisville Business First, is author of "Second Hand Stories" and co-author of "The Soulful Sounds of Derby," a history of African American music in Louisville. Also on Feb. 6, works from Madison artist Brenda Shropshire will be on display.
Jackson, a Columbus, Ohio, resident, is an author and illustrator who in each story promotes creativity, diversity and empathy while also teaching values of inclusivity and kindness. Jackson will also have her art on display.
McIntyre, of Georgetown, Kentucky, was born and raised in southern Indiana. Her book, "A Wishful Eye," due to be released in paperback Feb. 11, is a historical fiction based in the Ohio River valley region in the 1800s. Also on Feb. 20, Madison native Jocelyn ParTEE, who now operates a Lexington, Kentucky, catering

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Rebel Royalty



David Campbell

Southwestern High School held its homecoming on Saturday night with Raygan Crawford (left) and Adam Traylor (right) crowned Queen and King before the Rebels' win over South Dearborn.

Shawe Royalty



Bob Demaree

Shawe Memorial High School held its homecoming on Friday night with Sol Ramirez Rios (left) was crowned Queen and Tyler Hill crowned King before the Hilltoppers 47-41 loss to Rising Sun.

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JEFFERSON COUNTY
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LODGINGS

January 30, 2025
Wilmer Leroy Lane Jr., 51, Cincinnati, on a Jefferson County warrant for failure to appear. Bond \$5,000 cash.
Jada Amari Perry, 22, Madison, on a Jefferson County Community Correction warrant. No bond.
Daniel Eugene Ray, 50, Hanover, on Jefferson County bench warrants, Bond a combined \$200,000 cash.
Timothy Allen Ray Sr., 49, Scottsburg, on a Jefferson County warrant for failure to appear. Bond \$5,000 cash.
Cody Michael Reedy, 31, Hanover, for Possession of Methamphetamine,

a Level 6 felony; and on a 15-day jail hold. Bond \$2,000 cash.
Kole Kristopher Woodfill, 25, Madison, to serve 40 days and 45 days, consecutive, on two court-ordered sentencings. No bond.
Saundra Jean Wynn, 49, Hanover, on as Jefferson County felony bench warrant. Bond \$5,000 cash.
January 31, 2025
Derek Alan Ledbetter, 38, Hanover, on a Jefferson County felony bench warrant. Bond \$20,000 cash.
Nicholas Edward Scott Murray, 34, Madison, for Domestic Battery and Strangulation, both Level 6 felonies. No bond.
February 1, 2025
Daniel Merit Barnes, 42, La Grange, Kentucky, for Possession of a Syringe and Maintaining A Common Nuisance, both Level

6 felonies; Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. No bond.
February 2, 2025
Tyler Seth Henry Fields, 28, Austin, Indiana, for Maintaining a Common Nuisance, a Level 6 felony; Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated and Possession of Marijuana, both Class A misdemeanors; and Possession of Paraphernalia. Bond \$1,000 cash.
Lisa Marie Roberts, 49, Madison on Jefferson County warrants for probation violation. Bond a combined \$5,000 cash.
February 3, 2025
Desarae Konstance Dannelik, 20, Madison, for Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor, a Class A misdemeanor; Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor; and Minor in Possession of Alcohol, a Class C misdemeanor. Bond \$500 cash.
Nicole Renee Taylor, 38, Deputy, Indiana, for Possession of a Legend Drug or Precursor, a Level 6 felony, and to hold for another county on an unspecified warrant. No bond

of Correction with credit for 10 days jail served, 80 additional days jail to be served and placed on 450 days supervised probation with first five months to be served on home incarceration plus \$439 in fees and court costs.
William E. Zearing, 35, Madison, to an amended charge of Invasion of Privacy, Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 270 days jail, fully executed, with no credit for time served and consecutive to 365 days probation revoked on prior invasion of privacy conviction plus \$289 in fees and court costs with No Contact Order to be filed.
Camela Faye Consley, 51, Madison, to an amended charge of Neglect of Dependent, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 730 days at Indiana Department Correction with credit for 10 days jail served and 720 days suspended to supervised probation plus \$689 in fees and court costs.
Robert Donovan Walter Lowery, 41, Lexington, Indiana, to amended charges of Neglect of Dependent and Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated, both Level 6 felonies. Sentenced to 730 days at Indiana Department of Correction on each charge, concurrent, with credit for 96 days jail served, 180 days executed and 550 days suspended to supervised probation plus \$789.50 in fees and court costs and loss of driver's license 90 days consecutive to 1 year suspension for refusal to be tested.

(trustees) to Andrew G. Harpole, approximately 83.5 acres at 10119 East State Road 62, Canaan.
Cynthia A. Heitz, Amy J. Noah and Gregory R. Linkmeyer (trustees) and Revocable Trust Agreement of Marlene Linkmeyer to Gregory R. Linkmeyer, 87 acres at 10300+ North Hicks Ridge Road, Canaan.
Lime LLC to Findley Properties LLC, 111 East Fourth Street, Madison.
Dennis Napier and Bernadette Napier to Cary S. Rhoades, Derek H. Napier, Brent L. Napier, Jared A. Napier (trustees) and Napier Revocable Trust (trust) and Dennis Napier and Bernadette Napier (life estate), two parcels totaling approximately 131.8 acres at 4001 West 1100 North, Dupont.
Larry David Kuppler, Gregory Todd Kuppler and Anne Elaine Kuppler Reidel (tenants common) to Tracy Family Revocable Trust, approximately 8.2 acres at 5600+ West 150 North, Madison.
Larry David Kuppler, Gregory Todd Kuppler and Anne Elaine Kuppler Reidel (tenants common) to Patrick J. Schafer, approximately 14.5 acres at 5600+ West 150 North, Madison.
Larry David Kuppler, Gregory Todd Kuppler and Anne Elaine Kuppler/Anne Elaine Reidel (tenants common) to Larry David Kuppler, approximately 12 acres at 5638 West 150 North, Madison.

Nay, 40 acres at 5826 East Wesley Drive, Madison.
Nadine S. Risman to John Paul George, 407 East Second Street, Madison.
Staphen M. Mingione and Robin L. Mingione to Brittany Vandenberg and Christopher Emigh, approximately 4.7 acres at 302 South Zoar Church Road, Madison.
Nickie Matthews to Robert Rhyne and Jessica Rhyne, approximately 2.6 acres at 7575 West 450 South, Hanover.
Trace Christopher Strouse and Grace Olivia Strouse to Michael R. Scarff and Nita Fay Scarff, 237 Smith Lane, Hanover.

January 30, 2025
Jeffrey David House and Jeffrey David House to Alissa Ringle, 6.75 acres at 12045 West Henry Road, Deputy.
Michael L. Dorsey and Laurie Dorsey to Michael Dorsey and Laurie Dorsey (trustees), Heather L. Dorsey (trust) and Trust for the Benefit of Heather L. Dorsey, 516 Phillips Lane, Madison.
David R. Sonksen and Karla L. Sonksen (deceased) to Michael Sonksen (trustee) and David R. Sonksen Irrevocable Trust, 520 Highland Drive, Madison.

January 31, 2025
Jimmie L. Giltner to James Callahan, 1665 South 1000 West, Lexington.
William L. Effinger, Diane Stevely and Victoria Stuckwisch to Karen Lykins, 243 Mouser Street, Madison.
B&K Assets LLC to Phillips Development Inc., 213 West Main Street, Hanover.
Tim Morrison and Diana Morrison to MNP Foodmart LLC, part of 2 5975 West State Road 62, Lexington.
Anthony L. Hammock and Lisa G. Hammock to John R. Harrell, 1807 Orchard Street, Madison.
Gurley Properties LLC to C Kemp Family LLC, 2900 Wilson Avenue, Madison.

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 2-20-21-23-28-32 (2/1). Next Estimated Jackpot: \$39.1 million. Next Drawing (2/5).
Cash Five: 3-10-13-22-25(2/3)
Cash 4 Life: 6-29-33-49-52 CB: 2 (2/3)
KENTUCKY
Cash Ball: 4-26-32-34 CB 11 (2/2)
Lucky For Life: 5-6-17-27-36 LB: 12 (2/2)

MEGAMILLIONS
9-28-48-56-63 MB: 2, MP 2 (1/31). Next Jackpot: \$77 million. Next Drawing (2/4)
POWERBALL
23-29-32-49-61 PB: 8, PP 2 (2/1). Next Estimated Jackpot: \$100 million. Next Drawing (2/3)
POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY
3-15-37-49-69 PB: 16 (2/1). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to \$10 million. Next Drawing (2/3)

BIRTHDAYS

Editor's Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.
FEBRUARY 4
Stephen Manaugh
Byron Sego
FEBRUARY 7
Larry Henry
Kathy Pommerehn
FEBRUARY 8
Donna Jackson
FEBRUARY 9
Nadia Boone
FEBRUARY 10
Jerry Yarnetsky
FEBRUARY 12
Warren Auxier
Janey Lowry

ANNIVERSARY

FEBRUARY 9
Myron and Kim Eaglin — 40

WEATHER

Sunrise: 7:42 a.m.
Sunset: 6:08 p.m.
Temperature: High 69, Low 38, Mean 53.5, Excess 14.2
Precipitation since last published: .50
Precipitation, January 2025: 3.20
Precipitation, February 2025: 0
Precipitation, 2025: 3.20
Barometer: 29.90, Falling
River Level at Clifty Creek: 436.49, Rising
Forecast: Wednesday: Rain High 39/Low 37; Thursday: Showers High 57/Low 32; Friday: Partly cloudy High 47/Low 38; Saturday: Showers High 62/Low 34.

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SENTENCINGS

January 30, 2025
David Whitt, 42, Dallas, Texas, for Nonsupport of Dependent Child-3 Counts, all Level 6 felonies. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction on the first two counts, concurrent, fully executed, and 900 days at IDOC on the third count, consecutive, with all 900 days suspended to supervised probation. Defendant to receive credit for 280 days total jail served on first two counts and no credit on count three plus \$389 fees and court costs.
Kole Kristoper Woodfill, 25, Madison, for Domestic Battery, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY

January 28, 2025
Steven Welling and Pauline M. Welling to Jefferson County Indiana, a portion of 8252 Brushy Fork Road, Madison (\$1,000).
Robert A. Mustafa to Ford Family Farms LP, two parcels totaling 16 acres at 3535 North Shun Pike Road, Madison.
Siegel Family Revocable Trust, Christopher R. Siegel and Barbara A. Siegel

New Kiwanis Club of Jefferson County
sets charter ceremony Wednesday

BY THE COURIER STAFF

More than year after the Kiwanis Club of Madison surrendered its charter after more than 97 years service, a charter ceremony has been scheduled to create a new Kiwanis Club of Jefferson County.
Community members interested in the organization may attend the charter ceremony at 6 p.m. on Wednesday at the HH Venture Out, 975 Industrial Drive, Madison. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.
Chrissy Whitham, President, of the Kiwanis Club of Jefferson County, said the organization's first service projects will focus on assisting local children.

"The Kiwanis Club of Jefferson County will be helping children in our community with service initiatives" such as "Bringing Up Grades" (BUG), a program that recognizes and encourages students who are actively improving their academic performance by raising their grades from one grading period to the next; essentially rewarding students for making significant progress in their studies.
"As a new club we are seeking local partners and membership to grow our community impact. We will also sponsor youth programs at Madison Consolidated Schools, Southwestern Consolidated Schools,

Canaan Academy, Pope John Elementary and Shawe Memorial Junior High School, and area colleges where we give youth the opportunity to perform service projects while learning leadership skills."
She said, "We hope community members will attend to learn about us, the organizations we support and our common bond to help kids in our community thrive, prosper and grow. Kids need Kiwanis, and we're here to help with projects that give youth the skills they need to be successful and have a good time."
Light refreshments will be provided at the ceremony.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHARTER CEREMONY

Kiwanis Club of Jefferson County
HH Venture Out Event Venue
975 Industrial Drive
Wednesday, Feb. 5, 5:30 p.m.
Charter ceremony for the new Kiwanis Club of Jefferson County. Networking starts at 5:30 p.m. Ceremony starts at 6 p.m.

INFORMATION

Ulster Project Info Night
Madison-Jefferson County Public Library
420 West Main St., Madison
Thursday, Feb. 6, 5:30 p.m.
For teens 14-16 and parents to host a teen from Northern Ireland in July.

EVENTS

Indiana Poet Laureate Curtis L. Crisler
Hanover College, Duggan Library
Wednesday, Feb. 5, 7:30 p.m.
Indiana Poet Laureate Curtis L. Crisler will deliver a Black History Month address on Hanover's campus. The appearance, open to the public free of charge, is part of Indiana Humanities' Indiana Authors

Awards Speaker Program.

Telegraph Quartet

The Picker House, 110 St. Michaels Avenue, Madison
Saturday, Feb. 8, 7 p.m.
Telegraph Quartet, based in San Francisco, includes former Madison resident Joseph Maile and his wife Pei-Ling, both violinists. Others members of the quartet are Jeremiah Shaw, cellist, and Eric Chin, violinist.

COMMUNITY HEALTH FAIR

Frank Baldwin Hunter Hall
400 West Vaughn Drive, Madison
Saturday, Feb. 8, 8 a.m.-11 a.m.
Located upstairs at Crystal Beach. Free blood pressure and cholesterol/glucose checks. Participants should consider fasting prior if they would like to participate in the cholesterol testing. The event will also provide valuable health information, healthy snacks and door prizes. Several businesses and organization will be there, providing physical and mental health information. No registration necessary for this free event. Email questions to heather.foy@nortonhealthcare.org

BLOOD DRIVE

Madison-Jefferson County Public Library

420 West Main St, Madison
Thursday, Feb. 13, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.
To save time, donors may use RapidPre on Feb. 13 to complete pre-reading and donation questions online before arriving at the library at redcrossblood.org/RapidPass and either print pass or save on a smartphone. Appointment times may be scheduled before arriving at the Library by calling 800/733-2767, going to redcrossblood.org, or downloading the Blood Donor app.

FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

Gleaners Mobile Food Pantry

National Guard Armory
1533 Clifty Drive, Madison
Monday Feb. 10; March 10, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
The Gleaners Mobile Food Pantry in Jefferson County, will shift back to the second Monday of each month after being postponed by weather in January. The event serves

about 250 families locally with a drive through food distribution from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. or when supplies run out.

Salvation Army Food Bank

331 East Main St.
Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays noon-1 p.m.
A food giveaway at the red door on east side of building. Bring your own bags.
For more information, call 812-265-2157.

House of Hope Food Pantry

100 East 2nd St., Madison
Tuesdays 5-7 p.m.; Fridays 9-11 a.m.
A food giveaway and distribution at the Jefferson County House of Hope Food Pantry in downtown Madison. Please arrive at the pantry 15 minutes prior to closing to be served.

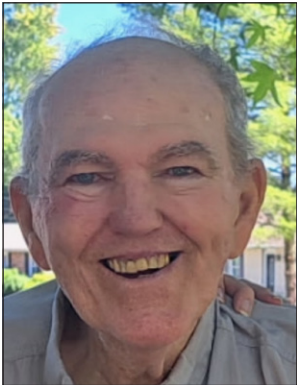
CLOTHING DISTRIBUTIONS

Jesus Clothes Closet

Trinity United Methodist Church
412 W. Main St., Madison
Mondays 9-11 a.m.

OBITUARIES

Charles Ray Myers



Charles Ray Myers, age 83, of Madison, IN, formerly of Mishawaka entered this life on July 27, 1941, In Mishawaka, IN. He was the loving son of the late August and Mary E. Hudkins Myers. He was raised in Mishawaka and graduated in 1961, from Mishawaka High School. He was inducted into the United States Army in 1963, and rose to the rate of Private First Class during the Vietnam Era serving in West Germany. He was honorably discharged in 1965. He was very proud of his service and loved his family's military legacy with his Father and his brothers, serving from WWI thru Vietnam. On July 10, 1965, he was united in marriage to Laura Ann McLeod in Mishawaka. This happy union of 55 years was blessed with a son, Stephen and a daughter, Sherry. He worked for over 35 years as a lineman for AT&T (Indiana Bell) in Mishawaka, South Bend and Michigan City. He had resided in Michigan City form 1966-1990 and moved to Mishawaka in 1989, living there till he moved to Madison in 2024, to be near his family. He was a member of the Pioneers Club, was very proud to have been on the Indy Honor Flight and

was patriotic at heart. He had a special love for the Outdoors. He enjoyed feeding the birds and the squirrels. Charles loved to travel and had visited all 50 states and several different countries. Charles passed away on Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2025, at his home in Madison, IN.

Charles will be missed by his loving son, Stephen Myers and his wife, Kimberley of Madison, Indiana; his loving daughter, Sherry Myers of Indianapolis, Indiana; his grandchildren, Tiffany Myers, Zachary Myers, and Abigail DeMaire; his sister, Barb Freshour of South Bend, IN; his sisters in law, Shirley Myers of Glendale, AZ, Barb Myers of Mishawaka, IN; several nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his father, August Myers, his mother, Mary E. Hudkins Myers, his

beloved wife of 55 years, Laura Ann McLeod Myers, died Nov. 10, 2020, his brothers, Jess Myers, William "Bill" Myers, LG Von Myers, Thomas "Tom" Myers, and Robert Dean Myers, and his sisters, Virginia Myers Sawyer and Imogene Myers Hodges. The family would like to extend a heartfelt, "Thank You" to everyone at Autumn Trace of Madison, and to his longtime neighbors for all their unwavering support.

Graveside services with military honors will follow at a later date in the Fairview Cemetery in Mishawaka, IN.

Friends can call Monday, Feb. 3, 2025, from 4 — 6 p.m., at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, IN, and Friday, Feb. 7, 2025, from 4 — 6 p.m., at the Palmer Funeral Home-Bubb Chapel, 3910 North Main Street in Mishawaka, IN.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Indy Honor Flight. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover, or at the Palmer Funeral Home-Bubb Chapel. Online condolences, remembrances, and condolences, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com, or at Palmerfuneralhomes.com.

Mary 'Diane' Hunt Harris



Mary "Diane" Hunt Harris, age 76, of Versailles, IN, formerly of Jefferson County, entered this life on Dec. 28, 1948 in Louisville, KY. She was the loving daughter of the late John Edward, Sr. and Ethel Clymree Montgomery Hunt. She married Danny Louis Harris on July 22, 1981, at Mayfield Nursing Center in Madison, IN. She grew up in Ghent, KY, before moving to Florida, where she spent several years. She returned to the Madison. and Versailles, area in 1998. For over 40 years she watched children at her in home daycare. Taking care of kids was one of her favorite things to do. She also spent some time working for Palm Harbor Homes in FL, working on finishes. She was a member of Church on the Rock in Batesville, IN. She loved feeding the multitude of animals that made their home around her property. Diane died on Thursday, Jan. 30, 2025, at 6:48 am at her home in Versailles, IN.

Diane will be missed by her loving daughters, Joyce Consley and her husband, Tim of Versailles, IN, Tina Jackson and her husband, Jim of

Versailles, IN; her grandchildren, Shannon Consley, Courtney Hall (Will), Michaela Jackson, and Luke Jackson; her great grandchildren, Rhiannon and Jase; her brothers, John E. Hunt of Madison, IN, Clyde Hunt and his wife, Dena of KY, Jerry Hunt and his wife, Jennifer of Warsaw, KY, John R. Hunt of Greensburg, IN, Darrell Hunt of Indianapolis, IN, Michael Hunt and his wife, Michelle of Madison, IN; her sisters, Velma Meadows and her husband, Shannon of Madison, IN, Inez Shouse and her husband, Rick of Butlerville, IN, Debra Cassidy of Madison, IN, Linda Schroeder and her husband, Bill of Sellersburg, IN, Wilma Weber and her husband, Ron of Napoleon, IN, Teresa Morris and her husband, Junior

of Canaan, IN; many cousins, nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her father, John Edward Hunt, Sr., her mother, Ethel Clymree Montgomery Hunt, her husband of 41 years, Danny Louis Harris, died Nov. 1, 2022, her sisters, Brenda C. Hunt, Marilyn F. Hunt, Wanda Mae Imel, and her brother, Mark C. Hunt.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, Feb. 6, 2025, at 11 a.m., by Pastor Cheryl Dean at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN Interment will follow in the Brooksbury Cemetery in Brooksbury, IN.

Friends may visit Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2025, from 4 — 7 p.m., and Thursday, Feb. 6, 2025, from 9 a.m., until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Breast Cancer Research. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Joseph E. Burt



Joseph E. Burt, 46, of Frankfort, KY died on Friday, Jan. 3, 2025 at Frankfort Regional Medical Center.

He was born on Nov. 5, 1978, in Lexington, Fayette County, KY, the son of the late Lawrence Joseph Burt and the late Rhonda Gaye Herald Burt. He earned his GED and had last worked as a stone mason. He enjoyed watching sports, especially Cincinnati Bengals football, and Kentucky Wildcats basketball.

He is survived by his son, Bradly "Kegan" McDonald of Versailles, KY; his granddaughter, Lilyana Hollon of Frankfort, KY; a brother,

David Burt of Louisville, KY; two aunts, Dale Eaves of Worthville, KY, and Sheila Norton of Danville, KY; three uncles, Barry Herald of Worthville, KY, Ricky Herald of Worthville, KY, and Dennis Herald of Leesburg, FL; and a special

friend of many years, Anna First of Warsaw, KY.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ashley Voyles Burt; his grandson, Bentley McDonald; and his parents.

The family invite those who knew him to a Celebration of Life visitation and memorial service to be held on Saturday, Feb. 15, 2025, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., at Dean Memorial United Methodist Church, 101 Church Street, Worthville, KY. Cremation services were chosen by the family.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggest donations may be made to Dean Memorial United Methodist Church.

Marjorie Jane "Margie" (Maryman) Edwards

Marjorie Jane "Margie" (Maryman) Edwards, age 81, of Vevay, IN, entered this life on April 6, 1943, in Kilgore, TX.. She was the daughter of the late T.E. Thaddeus Eugene and Harriet Jane "Hattie" (Patton) Maryman. Margie passed away at 10:26 a.m., Saturday, Feb.1, 2025, at the Swiss Villa Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Vevay, IN.

Margie will be missed by her sons, Christopher Allen Edwards and his wife, Linda of Madison, IN, and Dustin Eugene Edwards of Vevay, IN; her daughter, Ami Lynn Edwards and her fiancé, Ryan Montgomery of Rising Sun, IN; her grandchildren, Cody Allen Thomas, Jesse Lee Edwards, Joshua Jewell,

Treyton Edwards, Michael Allen Edwards, and Lucas Eugene Edwards; her great-grandchildren, Lillian and Elijah Jewell; her brother, Joe Acker and his wife, Linda of Longview, TX; her sisters-in-law, Alice Faye Whitham of Vevay, IN, Harriet Bovard of Vevay, IN, and Patty Haley of Goodlettsville, TN; her brother-in-law, Jesse Dale Edwards of Vevay, IN, and her several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Allen Ray Edwards; her father, T.E. Thaddeus Eugene Maryman; her mother, Harriet Jane "Hattie" (Patton) Maryman; her biological mother, Corinne Sarah (Maryman) Acker; her step-father, J.D. Acker;

and her niece, Pansy Lou (Peters) Bledsoe.

Visitation will be held from 5 — 7 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2025, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home, 208 Ferry Street, Vevay, IN, 47043.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m., Thursday, Feb 6, 2025, by Pastor Mike Sawalich, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home, 208 Ferry Street, Vevay, IN, 47043.

Interment will follow in the Vevay Cemetery, Vevay, IN.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, or Vevay American Legion Post #185 Relief Fund. Cards are available at the funeral home, or online at www.haskellandmorrison.com.

Jerry Lee Wheeler

Jerry Lee Wheeler, age 83, of Madison, IN, entered this life on Jan. 3, 1942, in Madison, IN. He was the loving son of the late Herschel and Eula Elizabeth Jones Wheeler. Jerry died on Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2025, at 6:23 a.m., at the Norton King's Daughters' Hospital in Madison, IN.

Jerry will be missed by his daughter, Cassandra "Cassie" Revelle and her husband, Michael of Bells, TN; his son, Jerry Wayne Wheeler of Madison, IN;

his grandchildren, Mason Kennedy Wheeler, Christian Michael Wheeler, Meghan Caley Flanigan, William Brodie Flanigan; his great-granddaughter, Joelle Lane Flanigan; his sisters, Lorraine Sue O'Neal and her husband, Gary of Madison, IN, Ramona Lobb of Hanover, IN; several nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his father, Herschel Wheeler, his mother, Eula Elizabeth Jones Wheeler, and his wife, Suzanne Marie

Harris Wheeler, died Aug. 10, 2005.

Jerry chose cremation with a private family graveside at Grandview Memorial Gardens, 9306 North U.S. 421 in Madison, IN.

Memorial contributions may be made to Breast Cancer Research. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Mary Kay Lush McCubbin

Mary Kay Lush McCubbin, age 67, of Madison, IN, passed away on Feb. 1, 2025, on the anniversary of her beloved mother's death. She was born on Nov. 4, 1957, to the late Joyce and Dorothy (Higdon) Lush in Louisville, KY.

She was preceded in death by her beloved parents, Joyce and Dorothy (Higdon) Lush, her mother-in-law, Lee Smith McCubbin, and her niece, Jessica Lush.

Mary Kay will be missed by all. To have known Mary Kay was to love her. She is survived by her devoted and loving husband of nearly 36 years, Kevin Lee McCubbin; her children, Taylor McCubbin Hatfield (Kelson) of Newburgh, IN, and Nicholas McCubbin of Louisville, KY; her adoring grandchildren, Anderson and Marci Hatfield; her brothers Michael Lush (Diana); Kevin Lush (Linda), Chris Lush, all of Louisville, KY; David Lush (Lori) of Frankfort, KY, and her sister Joy Cox, of Louisville, KY;

her father-in-law, William "Bill" McCubbin of Madison, IN; her sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Connie McCubbin Goodman and her husband Dick of Hanover, IN; Anne McCubbin Gernert and her husband Rick of Nashville, TN; and Nancy McCubbin Starr and her husband Lenny of Atlanta, GA; her nieces and nephews, Gregory Lush (Maryam), Karyn Wright (Jimmi), Barrett Cox (Rachel), Brittany Cox, Ryan Lush, McKenna Lush, Julianne Lush, David Goodman, Hillary Drake, Leigh Dill, Anna Carr, Jack Starr, Logan Starr, and several great-nieces, and nephews.

Funeral mass will be conducted on Saturday, Feb. 8, 2025, at 11 a.m., by Father Christopher A. Craig at the Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 413 East Second Street in downtown Madison, IN. Interment will follow in the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in downtown Madison, IN.

Friends may visit on

Friday, Feb. 7, 2025, from 4 — 8 p.m., and Saturday, Feb. 8, 2025, from 9 to 10:30 a.m., at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN.

The Rosary will be prayed on Friday, Feb. 7, 2025, at 7:30 p.m., at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN.

There will be a celebration of life gathering immediately following the graveside committal at the Madison Elks Lodge, No. 524, 1251 West Main Street in downtown Madison, IN.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Norton King's Daughters' Hospital Cancer Center or the Heritage Trail Conservancy. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover, or at the church. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials, can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

DEATH NOTICES

Reva J. Harris Bragg, 89, of Vevay, IN, died Friday, Jan. 31, 2025, at IU Health Arnett Hospital in Lafayette, IN. Arrangements will be announced by the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, www.haskellandmorrison.com.

Stephen "Steve" A. Garvey, 75, of Hanover, IN, died Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025, at Norton Hospital in Louisville. Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover, IN, www.morgan-nay.com.

Lonnie Con Jones, 77, of Pendleton, KY,

died Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025, at Baptist Health in La Grange, KY. Arrangements will be announced by Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton, www.tandyecklerrileyfuneralhome.com.

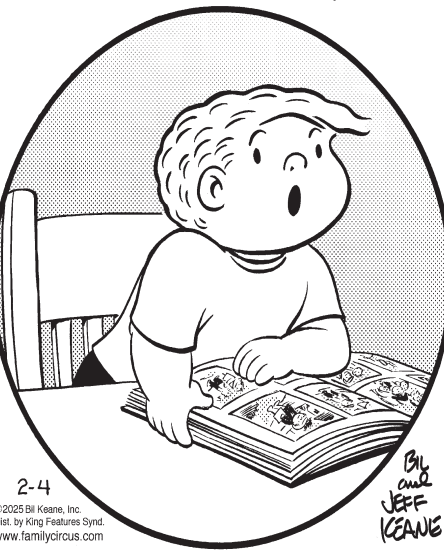
Tracy Allan Morrison, 63, of Hanover, IN, died Monday, Jan. 27, 2025, at Clark Memorial Hospital in Jeffersonville, IN. Cremation was chosen with a celebration of life to be announced at a later date. Arrangements by Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover, IN, www.morgan-nay.com.

Sandra K. Thompson, 80, of Madison, IN, died Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025, at Norton King's Daughters' Health in Madison. Cremation was chosen with no service to be held. Arrangements by Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison, and Hanover, IN, www.morgan-nay.com.

Mona Lee Jackson Wilson, 87, of Vevay, IN, died Sunday, Feb. 2, 2025, at Shady Nook Care Center in Lawrenceburg, IN. Arrangements will be announced by Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, www.haskellandmorrison.com.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane



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“Daddy, how old were you when you were my age?”

By and Jeff KEANE

DENNIS THE MENACE



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“OF COURSE THEY’RE GONNA RAISE THE PRICES! THEY KNOW YOU’RE NOT GONNA STOP EATING.”

ARCTIC CIRCLE



NOISE POLLUTION IS DISTRESSING WHALES, BUT YOUR SOLUTION IS MAKING IT WORSE.

I FIND NOISE-CANCELING HEADPHONES AND WHALE SONG RELAXING.

YES, BUT SHE KNOWS WHAT THEY’RE SAYING.

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BIZARRO



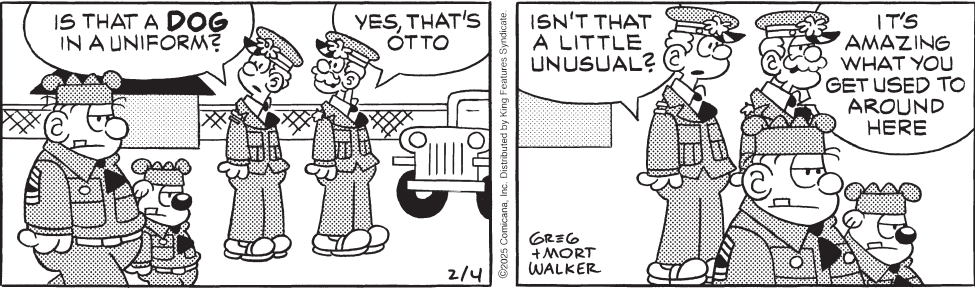
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You stopped me for a typo on a bumper sticker?

IMPROBABLE CAUSE

BEETLE BAILEY



IS THAT A DOG IN A UNIFORM? YES, THAT’S OTTO

ISN’T THAT A LITTLE UNUSUAL? IT’S AMAZING WHAT YOU GET USED TO AROUND HERE

GREG + MORT WALKER 2/4

RHYMES WITH ORANGE

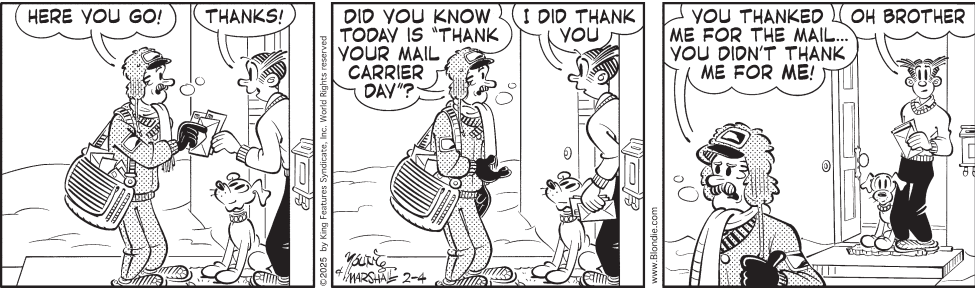


THE STROLL The curl really holds.

I’VE BEEN USING A NEW SHAMPOO THAT STRENGTHENS HAIR.

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BLONDIE



HERE YOU GO! THANKS!

DID YOU KNOW TODAY IS “THANK YOUR MAIL CARRIER DAY”?

I DID THANK YOU

YOU THANKED ME FOR THE MAIL... YOU DIDN’T THANK ME FOR ME!

OH BROTHER

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CURTIS



H/, MICHELLE ♪

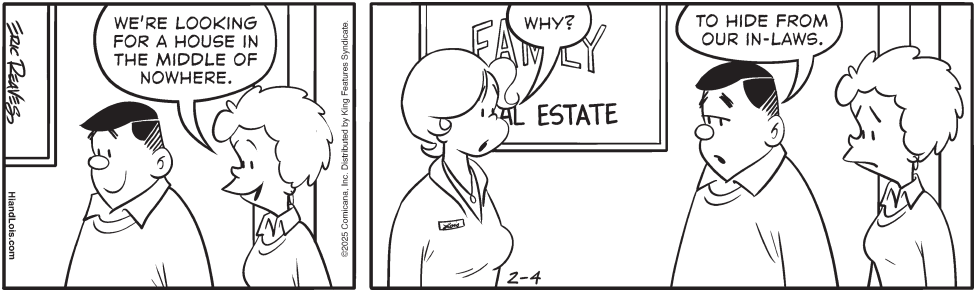
CURTIS, WHY WOULD YOU COME OVER HERE WEARING BUMMIE JEANS?

HEY, THERE’S NO NEED TO MAKE ME FEEL BAD BY BEING RUDE!

YEAH, WELL, MY DADDY HAS MONEY, SO I CAN BUY OFF BAD FEELINGS

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HI & LOIS




WE’RE LOOKING FOR A HOUSE IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE.

WHY?

TO HIDE FROM OUR IN-LAWS.

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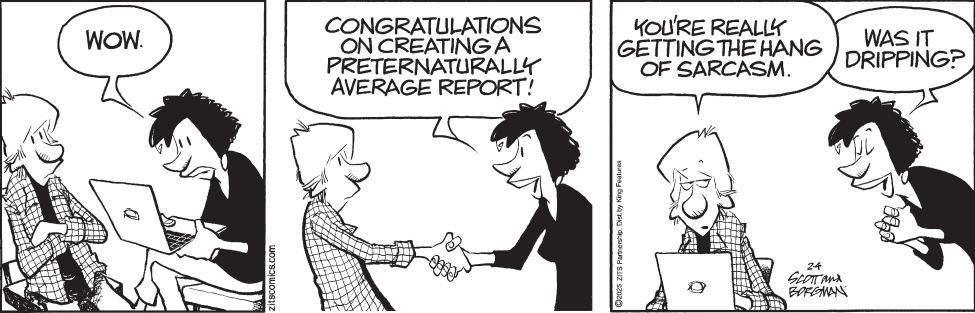
PARDON MY PLANET



OH, SURE, I GET IT - I’M OLDER AND APPLYING FOR A JOB AND SUDDENLY NOW YOU WANT TO BE MY IMAGINARY FRIEND.

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ZITS



WOW.

CONGRATULATIONS ON CREATING A PRETERNATURALLY AVERAGE REPORT!

YOU’RE REALLY GETTING THE HANG OF SARCASM.

WAS IT DRIPPING?

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DUMPLINGS



WOW - IT IS FREEZING OUT.

C’MON, BENNY - GO PEE SO WE CAN GO BACK INSIDE.

I THINK MY PIPE FROZE.

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HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

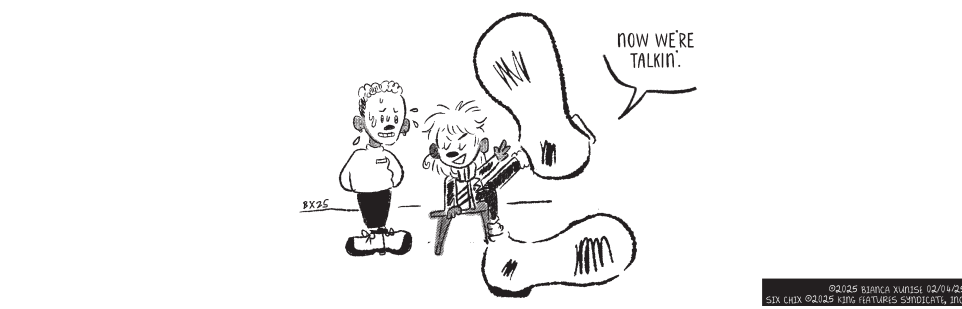


GIVE IT TO HIM! GIVE IT TO HIM!!

THAT’S NOT WHAT I MEANT!

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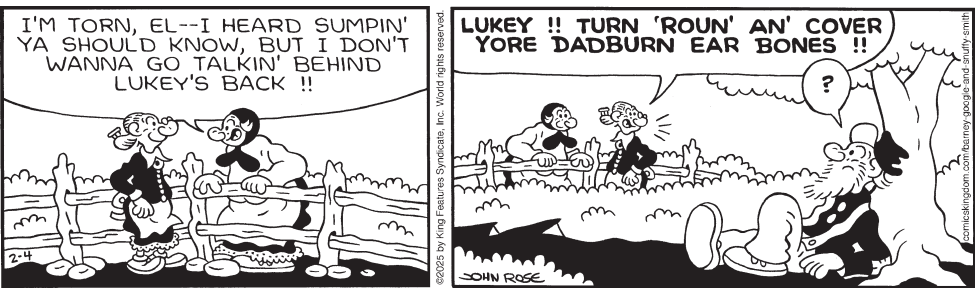
SIX CHIX



NOW WE’RE TALKIN’.

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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

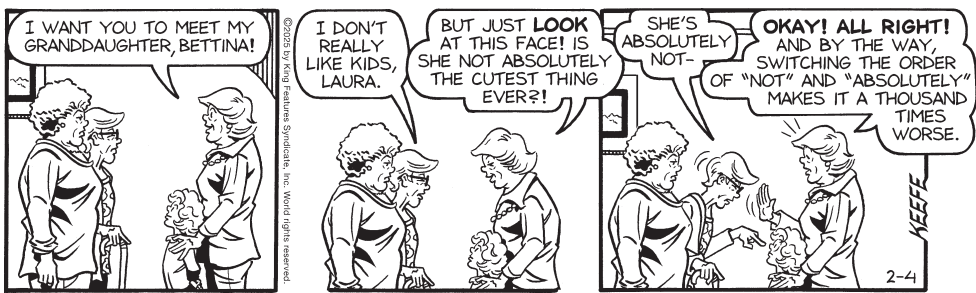


I’M TORN, EL--I HEARD SUMPIN’ YA SHOULD KNOW, BUT I DON’T WANNA GO TALKIN’ BEHIND LUKEY’S BACK !!

LUKEY !! TURN ‘ROUN’ AN’ COVER YORE DADBURN EAR BONES !!

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SALLY FORTH



I WANT YOU TO MEET MY GRANDDAUGHTER, BETTINA!

I DON’T REALLY LIKE KIDS, LAURA.

BUT JUST LOOK AT THIS FACE! IS SHE NOT ABSOLUTELY THE CUTEST THING EVER?!

SHE’S ABSOLUTELY NOT--

OKAY! ALL RIGHT! AND BY THE WAY, SWITCHING THE ORDER OF “NOT” AND “ABSOLUTELY” MAKES IT A THOUSAND TIMES WORSE.

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DUSTIN



I GOT MY HAIR CUT TODAY.

DID YOU CHANGE YOUR STYLE?

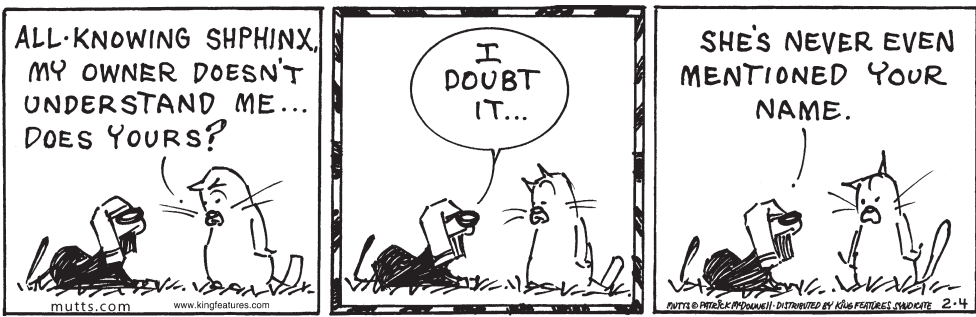
NO. NOT REALLY.

OH. THAT’S TOO BAD.

I WAS GOING TO SAY “IT’LL GROW BACK” BUT I GUESS IT DOESN’T MATTER.

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MUTTS



ALL-KNOWING SHPHINX, MY OWNER DOESN’T UNDERSTAND ME... DOES YOURS?

I DOUBT IT...

SHE’S NEVER EVEN MENTIONED YOUR NAME.

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"Say when." "When."

DENNIS THE MENACE

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"MY DAD AND HIS RECLINER GO WAY BACK!!"

ARCTIC CIRCLE

2-5

IF PEOPLE WANT TO LIVE ON MARS, THEY'LL HAVE TO GROW THEIR OWN FOOD.

EXPERIMENTS ON THE MOON WERE PARTIALLY SUCCESSFUL.

PARTIALLY?

BIZARRO

2-5

There are no "Wrong" steps.

And no one has to lead.

WHEN ANARCHISTS TANGO

BEETLE BAILEY

2-5

MISS BUXLEY, HAVE YOU FINISHED WITH LT. FUZZ'S REPORT ON WASTE?

RHYMES WITH ORANGE

2-5

THIS ONE'S DUAL-ACTION-- BEFORE GOING THROUGH YOUR COLON IT FLUSHES YOUR WALLET.

BLONDIE

2-5

THAT BACON IS ALMOST AS BEAUTIFUL AS YOU, HONEY!

CURTIS

2-5

I HAVE A BLOG ALL 'BOUT EVERYTHING I LIKE 'BOUT MY LIFE.

HI & LOIS

2-5

UH-OH, THERE WAS A CAR ACCIDENT...

PARDON MY PLANET

2-5

OOOH, I'M HAVING AN OUT-OF-BODY EXPERIENCE. MAYBE NOW I CAN FIT IN THESE DRESSES.

ZITS

2-5

NOTHING. I'M NOT FINDING ANYTHING EITHER.

DUMPLINGS

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I JUST READ THAT YOU CAN TEST A DOG'S INTELLIGENCE BY PUTTING A TOWEL ON HIS HEAD...

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

2-5

KINDA MAKES ME FEEL SMALL AND INSIGNIFICANT, AS IF I WERE ANYONE OTHER THAN ME.

SIX CHIX

2-5

A PENNY FOR YOUR THOUGHTS...

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

2-5

LORDY, I AM SO FUR BEHIND WIF TH' LAUNDRY !!

SALLY FORTH

2-5

YOU TWO HAVE A WONDERFUL ROMANTIC GETAWAY! AND DON'T WORRY, BETTINA IS IN GOOD HANDS.

DUSTIN

2-5

I WOULD PREFER TO BE ALONE TONIGHT.

MUTTS

2-5

OH, MIGHTY SPHINX, I'M HOMESICK...

Hanover Plan Commission OKs Zoning corrections

BY BOB DEMAREE

Hanover Plan Commission made favorable recommendations on two applications at its meeting Wednesday that were both considered corrections to previous zoning applications.

The zoning at 213 West Main Street had been Commercial, where there is currently an empty lot, but the Plan Commission endorsed changing that to Residential, a decision they deemed made sense knowing that there are two houses on its east side and a duplex with four apartments on the west side.

The application for the zoning change was made by Bob Phillips, owner of Phillips Development Inc., which has built several houses in and near Hanover.

“I had originally bought the lot

to put a duplex” on that property, said Phillips but “since then decided not to do that, and just put a single family home similar to what I’ve been building” that will have a selling price of roughly \$220,000. “I assumed it was zoned for housing because there was originally a home there” that he thinks was destroyed in a fire several years ago.

Scott Williams, the town’s utilities superintendent who also currently has the role over overseeing zoning, said that because the land is zoned Commercial, “people don’t realize if the house burns down, you can’t build a house back there” without getting the zoning changed.

There are businesses on the north side of West Main Street in that area, being near State Road 56, but Williams said the

commercial/business zoning actually extends further east on Main Street all the way near where the Hanover post office is located near Madison Avenue.

“That whole road is zoned business,” said Williams, but he noted many years ago there were more businesses there including a gas station, bank, Finnegan’s Grocery and more. “It was an actual business district,” he said, noting it’s remained zoned that way, even though now there’s just “a little bit” of business on Main Street.

Treva Shelton, who serves as a town council representative on the Plan Commission, said the town recently received a \$25,000 grant from the Community Foundation of Madison and Jefferson County for the town in which Jacobi, Toombs and Lanz

(JTL) has been hired to address the town’s planning and zoning in connection with the town’s Comprehensive Plan that was developed with Lilly Endowment grant funding.

The zoning change was also approved for 221 East Lagrange Road in an application by Williams, just for the simple fact of correcting the zoning. The property had been zoned Residential Business R-1 but Williams said it should be Highway Business B-1. “I’m not doing anything with it other than what I’m doing right now,” said Williams. “I just want to do my part and get it zoned right.”

Williams purchased the property in 2018 because he had items he wanted to store there, but since then there have been businesses interested in rent-

ing space. Now, a portion is Fiction Wraps, which does vehicle wraps and more, and another portion is Collier’s Detailing, an auto detailing service.

He said in the 1950s that a Marathon gas station was at the location, and it later became a body shop.

Each of the applications, although favorably recommended, must still receive approval by the Hanover Town Council, which is expected to take action at Tuesday’s meeting at 6 p.m.

In other business, Kraus was reelected Plan Commission president while Jim Hickerson was elected vice president and Williams was elected secretary. Shelton announced that Mandy Taylor has resigned from the Plan Commission and a replacement is needed.

Hanover BZA approves variance to allow garage for auto detailing business

BY BOB DEMAREE

A variance for an auto detailing business on Hanover’s Main Street received approval by the town’s Board of Zoning Appeals at its meeting Wednesday.

The application was from Kevin Tyler Ashby for opening Ashby’s Auto Detailing at 246 East Main Street, which is also his residence, where he will be building a 24’ x 40’ garage with 12’ walls and a 10’ x 16’ garage door.

Ashby currently operates the business at 2800 Clifty Drive but wants to do the detailing in the new location because it will be “nice to be home.” Also, he said that in the long run having his own building will be “a lot cheaper than paying rent” at the Clifty Drive location. Additionally, he believes that the garage will increase the property value at his residence, and “will make my property look better than it does right now.”

There were questions about whether there would be enough parking, and Ashby said there will only be one to two cars per day. “I don’t have any intention of hiring a whole bunch of help, or any help at all, honestly; maybe a person to help

me out once in awhile” but not often.

Even though there is a house on the property, it was already zoned Business B-1. However, the variance for building the garage for auto detailing was necessary because there was not a category for auto detailing. “He could have put a restaurant there or sold tires,” said Treva Shelton, vice president of the town council who has been assisting on town zoning matters with Scott Williams, the streets and utilities superintendent.

Shelton said she was pleased that Ashby is moving his business to town limits. “You have a pretty good business now, and they will follow you to Hanover. If we get a business to Hanover we want it to succeed.”

Ashby said he intends to begin construction of the building as soon as possible with a goal of having it done by the beginning of March, and moving his business there shortly after that.

In other business, officers with elected with the year with Kenny Degler reelected as president, Ken Kraus elected vice president and Kathi Scroggins elected secretary.

Indiana Landmarks offers grants for historic church restoration

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Historic houses of worship are being invited to apply for grants from Indiana Landmarks’ Sacred Places Indiana Fund.

The fund, supported by funding from Lilly Endowment Inc., was created to deal with an increasing volume of calls for help from congregations in historic churches with restoration needs.

Churches and other historic houses of worship stand among the

most architecturally distinguished structures in a community, and when congregations shrink, maintenance suffers and landmarks become threatened.

The Sacred Places Indiana Fund awards matching grants in a competitive process to congregations who are committed to good stewardship of their historic structures and have demonstrated signs of organizational health. Applications for

the next round of grant funding are now open and will be accepted now through June 15.

Congregations can learn more about the program and grant application process during an online informational webinar on Tuesday, February 25. RSVP to webinar at www.indianalandmarks.org/sacred-places-indiana-webinar/, or by calling 317-639-4534 or 800-450-4534.

If invited to participate in the program, congrega-

tions will have the opportunity to apply for planning grants up to \$25,000 and capital grants up to \$500,000.

In 2024, Indiana Landmarks’ Sacred Places Indiana program provided \$5,758,363 to 39 congregations around the state to address capital and planning needs at their historic houses of worship. Other awards supported architectural, rehabilitation and fundraising studies

Registration open for home preservation programs in March

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Registration is open for Historic Madison Inc.’s preservation program called “Loving Your Old House.”

This four-session educational program will take place on Tuesday evenings in March from 6:30-8:30 p.m. weekly at an HMI property for the opportunity to learn on how to preserve and protect an old home from historic preservation experts in the community.

Sessions will be:

- Thermally modified lumber, March 4, held at the Schroeder Saddletree Factory. This program will be led by J.R. Phillips, the third generation to run Phillips Lumber and Millwork, which opened

Each session is independent, so participants can choose topics that best suit their needs. Attend one session for \$30 (non-members) or \$25 (HMI members), or take advantage of a \$5 discount by registering for multiple sessions.

1963 and the oldest mill still operating in Jefferson County. Discover the benefits of this sustainable material that has been incorporated into the maintenance and care of the Schroeder Saddletree Factory.

- Storm windows, March 11, held at the HMI office which is also the Talbott-Hyatt House. This program will be led by Seth Elder, who through his business Elder Restoration has completed projects

for various clients that includes homeowners, historic churches, museum groups and more. The session will teach how to improve energy efficiency while maintaining a home’s historic charm.

- The hierarchy of space in historic buildings, March 18, held at the Shrewsbury-Windle House. Led by Benjamin J. Ross of Ratio Architects, this program will help to understand the importance of historic floor plans and how to adapt

them for modern living.

- Paint and color types, March 25, held at the HMI office. Explore paint options that complement a home’s historic style and neighborhood is this session that will feature David Cart, HMI’s Director of Preservation & Maintenance

Each session is independent, so participants can choose topics that best suit their needs. Attend one session for \$30 (non-members) or \$25 (HMI members), or take advantage of a \$5 discount by registering for multiple sessions.

Registration is required for all sessions. Enrollment is limited to 15 attendees per session. Register at <https://bit.ly/LovingYourOldHouse1>

HISTORY

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business, will be providing samples of her baked goods.

On Feb. 27, Curtis Crisler will be joined Janine Wells with beaded jewelry from his business the Beaded Butterfly. Also participating in the program will be Andrea Boswell and Tomeka Livers.

Additionally, there will be Black History Month programs at the Madison-Jefferson County Public Library, 420 West Main St.

On Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 2 p.m., journalist and author Lee Hawkins talks about the examination of his family’s legacy of post-enslavement trauma and resilience from his memoir, “I Am Nobody’s Slave: How Uncovering My Family’s History Set Me Free.” Hawkins is a 2022 Pulitzer Prize finalist and a five-time winner of the National Association of Black Journalists’ “Salute to Excellence” award. Register at www.mjcpl.org/events

On Tuesday, Feb. 18, 5:30 p.m., JoAnne Spiller, director of education at the Jefferson County History and Art Center, will dis-

cuss her book, “Visionary Designs by Bill Smith,” her book about the Madison native who went on to an award-winning career creating and designing jewelry.

On Saturday, Feb. 22, from 11 a.m. to noon, explore the history of the underground railroad through craft and activity stations in this program for youth of all ages. Activities include video clips, short stories and crafts in using real life examples to illustrate ways that slaves escaped to freedom. Register at www.mjcpl.org/events or call the main library at 812-265-2744.

From Feb. 17-23, the library will offer a digital production from Cincinnati Children’s Theatre about Harriet Tubman, the underground railroad conductor. This program is recommended for ages 8 and up, grades 4-8. Registration is required. A code will be given to those who register and participants can view the program as many times as they like through Sunday, Feb. 23. Go to www.mjcpl.org/events to register or call the main library. A study guide is also included with registration and can be downloaded or picked up at the library.

MATCHING \$ AVAILABLE!

On January 25th, the Community Foundation of Madison and Jefferson County kicked off its 2025 Matching Campaign! The Foundation is providing matching funds totaling \$250,000*.

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- \$1,250 to your endowed fund of choice***



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*The maximum match percentage total is \$25,000 per donor/household.
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Fowl Weather



Mark Campbell

A mixed bag of water fowl gathered around a small patch of open water Monday at the otherwise iced over Butler State Resort Park Lake in Carrollton. With warmer weather on the way, the thin layer of ice will once away give way to open water.

EVENTS

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and more expensive. What the insurance companies are always looking at is what are the cities doing to manage and reduce their exposure ... There may be events we say ‘no’ to because we can’t guarantee it’s a safe venue.”

In other business:

- Deputy Mayor Mindy McGee updated that the renewal cost for the city’s property and liability insurance was \$424,260.25, a 16.4% increase over 2024 when it was \$364,348. BPWS at its Jan. 21 meeting had given Courtney authority to finalize the contract through Gardner Insurance and Gregory and Appel Insurance. The city’s contract is with Selective Insur-

ance for liability coverage and Chubb Insurance for property insurance.

- McGee reported that the city is applying for a \$3 million Community Crossroads Matching Grant (CCMG) to begin work on Main Street this year from Mill Street to Broadway Street.
- Approved leasing 45 golf carts for Sunrise Golf Course from Midwest Golf Turf to replace 33 older carts owned by the city. The lease will cost \$120.47 per cart per month for a total of \$5,421.15 a month over 60 months. The agreement also provides for one utility cart for staff at \$171.65 per month. Overall, monthly lease payment will be \$5,592.80. The 33 older carts are being sold to Midwest for \$39,600.

- With River Rat Rodz Car Club announcing plans to no longer organize the annual Riverfront Run Car Show on Memorial Day week, Courtney stated the city is “working with a local organization for a car show Memorial Day week” that will be presenting an event safety plan at the next BPWS meeting.
- Approved a \$7,125 contract with Sunset Cinema LLC for five movie showings for this summer’s Movie in the Park series including four at Bicentennial Park and one at Crystal Beach Aquatic Center. Assistant Parks Director Tanya Burnette said the movies “will be completely funded with sponsorships.”
- Approved payments on the city’s water infrastructure project including \$81,769 to MW Cole for storage tank rehabili-

tation that is coming from the remaining amount of the county’s \$1 million contribution. Also, a SRF payment of \$183,682 was made to Dave O’Mara Contractor for the supply and treatment improvements.

- Announced Brett Ricketts as the new event coordinator for Parks and Recreation Department. Ricketts had been working for the city at the Senior Center for the last six months.
- Approved a one year extension on PACE grants to Rebecca Brown for 302 West Street, 304 West Street and 612 Mulberry Street.

“I’m grateful that she’s making sizable investments in preserving those properties that would have probably ended up coming down because of neglect,” Courtney said.

BPWS board member David Carlow agreed, “These structures are huge projects, time consuming, and I think justifies the 12 month extension.”

- Approved a recommendation from Clerk-Treasurer Shirley Rynearson for a computer program to reconcile accounts through German American Bank. The program involves a one-time \$600 fee to set up the accounting software, and \$265 for annual maintenance. There is also a \$50 cost per month for each account and with six accounts will be a total of \$300 per month.

“It will create a lot of operational efficiency in the Clerk’s office but it will also give us protection relative to checks that are being processed,” said Courtney.

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Telegraph Quartet to perform Saturday at Picker House

BY THE COURIER STAFF
The Telegraph Quartet is making a return engagement to Madison to perform at 7 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 8, at the Picker House, 110 St. Michaels Avenue, located on the back side of the Eagle Cotton Mill Fairfield Inn

and Suites. The San Francisco-based quartet includes former Madison resident Joseph Maile, the son of the late Bob Maile, who had operated Rembrandt's Wine Bar. Joseph Maile plays violin with his wife, Pei-Ling Lin, on viola,

Eric Chin, on violin, and Jeremiah Shaw, on cello. The ensemble will perform a program titled Sound Imagined, which features the music of Rebecca Clarke, Ludwig van Beethoven, and Bed ich Smetana.

The Telegraph Quartet was formed in 2013 with an equal passion for the standard and contemporary chamber music repertoire, and was awarded the prestigious 2016 Walter W. Naumburg Chamber Music Award and the Grand Prize

at the 2014 Fischhoff Chamber Music Competition. The concert is part of the Madison Performing Arts Foundation series for 2024-2025. All concerts are free and open to the public. Donations are welcomed and appreciated.

Trimble Homecoming Court



Trimble County's basketball homecoming is Friday when the girls and boys basketball teams host Henry County. Members of the homecoming court are (from left): Front — Mika Jett, Kimberly Puckett, Jaylin Arvin, Addison Mosley, Jolie Wilcoxson, Montana Garland, Lydia Lawson; Back — Clay Sieg, Chase Downey, Trenton Keller, Landon Rice, Hayden Webster, Owen Jackson.

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of Hanover but not anywhere else in the county. "Maybe one day the county might have a good spot for one but right now we probably don't. It needs to be where there's foot travel. You want people to be around it." Stormer said more meetings about the Fitness Court are already

planned with local officials. "There is no guarantee of it happening but the possibility of it happening is underway," she said. In other business, Brian Amick, the county's grant writer/archivist, presented the HHRC with six action steps from the county's Comprehensive Plan in which he felt the commission could best address. Amick said there are more than 70 action steps

included in the Comprehensive Plan adopted by the County Commissioners in May of 2021. "Through the process they had public hearings and came up with a list of things that the community says would make Jefferson County a better place," but many of those action steps have not yet been addressed. "They have just been sitting there with no action being done," he noted. The six action steps

include: developing a strategic plan for the HHRC, working with local non-profits and healthcare providers to expand services to those in the county battling homelessness and other issues, working with partners to develop mental health services, supporting efforts to support healthcare facilities and services and working with partners to develop treatment, and prevention and rehabilitation for sub-

stance abuse. There was also an action step to collaborate with the Healthy Communities Initiative, but the HCI's work was paused last summer. Stormer said, "Part of the purpose of our commission is to identify collaborators in the community." She said that partnerships developed can "help create our connections to solidify motion and movement" for the action steps. Bramer said the Com-

missioners have been working towards developing a memorandum of understanding with LifeSpring Health Services to develop a residential treatment facility for the county. He also said that in reaching out to the County Health Department that the commission might be able to help develop information of gaps or healthcare or to know instances in healthcare that the county may already have covered.

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BOYS WRESTLING SECTIONAL

Switzerland’s Richards cruises to his third-straight sectional crown

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Switzerland County junior Peyton Richards won all three of his matches with ease to claim his third-straight title at the IHSAA Boys Wrestling Sectional Championships at Jennings County on Saturday.

Richards won the title at 138 pounds and was the only local wrestler to claim a first place. Madison’s Eli Stewart (126 pounds) and Switzerland County’s Michael Gross (113) each finished second.

In addition, five other wrestlers from both Madison and Switzerland County finished in the top four of their respective weight classes and have qualified for the regional at Jeffersonville this Saturday.

Richards (29-1), who has reached the semistate each of the last two years, won his first match of the day with a pin of Scottsburg’s Jayden Coyne in 2:31. He then picked up an 11-0 major decision over Columbus East’s Caleb Kirkpatrick in the semifinals before posting a 4-1 win over Columbus North’s Justice Thornton in the championship round.

Stewart (5-2) also had an easy path to the finals, pinning Southwestern’s Josh Jines in 1:56 and beating Franklin’s Oscar Garcia 7-1 in the semifinals. But he suffered a 17-2 technical fall to Indian Creek’s Patrick Dowty in the



Switzerland County’s Peyton Richards goes to the ground after being thrown by Columbus North’s Justice Thornton during the 138-pound IHSAA Sectional championship bout at Jennings County on Saturday. Richards, who has now won three straight sectionals, claimed the title by a score of 4-1.

finals, dropping him to second.

Gross (29-10) picked up pins in his first two matches, in 5:30 over Franklin’s Jayden Jewell and 3:34 over Madison’s Kieran Lock to reach the finals. But like Stewart, he suffered a technical fall in the championship, in 3:24 to Indian Creek’s Jude Heaston.

Madison had two other wrestlers finish third and three more place fourth as all four earned



Photos by David Campbell

Madison’s Eli Stewart finds himself in a tough position against Indian Creek’s Patrick Dowty during the 126-pound championship bout at the IHSAA Sectional at Jennings County on Saturday. Stewart finished as runner-up of the weight division.

berths to the regional.

Lock (14-2) finished third at 113 pounds, Ethan Pittman (19-7) was third at 120 pounds, Brendan Bentz (30-10) was fourth at 144 pounds, Garrett Deuser (32-7) was fourth at 175 pounds, and Ayden Waggoner (29-11) was fourth at 190 pounds.

Switzerland County had four wrestlers place third and one fourth to earn a trip to regional.

Leo Oatman (33-7) finished third at 106 pounds, Ethan Rose (32-9) was third at 126 pounds, Gabe Rose (24-4) was third at 144 pounds, Ethan Jones (34-7) was third at 150 pounds, and Landon Gross (16-10) was fourth at 120 pounds.

Parker Anderson (27-7) was Southwestern’s top finishers, placing fifth at 113 pounds while Leyton Lare (26-13) was sixth at

120 pounds. Kale Bickers (106 pounds), Josh Jines (126), Gage Pennington (138), Damian Hernandez-Perez (144), Pagerick Giltner (150), Myles Monroe (157), Geovanny Nopal-Rubio (165), Coltin Schafer (175), Cain Martinez (190), Trevor Scudder (215) and Kobe Rogers (285) all failed to place.

For Madison, Zane Skinner (21-9) placed fifth at 150 pounds while Trenton Bivens (20-18) was sixth at 132, Segar Ralston (28-11) was sixth at 138 and William Livingston (11-12) was sixth at 157. Taye Labolt (165 pounds) and Nathan McBride (215) did not place.

Switzerland County’s Dakota Fields (30-10) placed fifth at 132 pounds while Jaksyn Smithson-Cox (157 pounds), Landon Penhall (165) and Jachoby McKay (175) each did not place.

Franklin won the team championship with 229.5 pounds with Columbus East placing second with 192.5 and Columbus North was third with 171. Switzerland County was fifth with 127.5, Madison was sixth with 110.5 and Southwestern was 11th with 15.

The IHSAA Regional will be held at Jeffersonville on Saturday starting at 9 a.m. The top four finishers in each weight class advance to the semistate at Evansville on the following Saturday.



Photos by David Campbell

Shawe girls basketball players (from left) Ava Turner, Jamison Williams, Odeysey Felix and Audrey Barron celebrate after teammate Allison Knoebel (11) was presented the Ohio River Valley Conference trophy from athletic director Jamison Bower after the Hilltoppers clinched the conference title on Thursday. The Hilltoppers (16-5) rolled through league play with a perfect 6-0 record.

Shawe girls roll over Rising Sun to clinch 2nd ORVC title in 3 years

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Injuries denied Shawe girls basketball a chance at a conference repeat a year ago, but that nor anything else was a problem this year.

Shawe completed a dominating 6-0 run through the Ohio River Valley Conference with a 74-35 win over Rising Sun at home Thursday. The win clinched the Hilltoppers’ second ORVC title in the past three years and tied the school record for wins in a season at 16.

“This feels good, especially after all we went through last year,” Shawe senior Ava Turner said. “I don’t really know the words, like, it means a lot. After all we’ve been through as a team and just all the injuries, to finally be able to come back and just play how we know we can play is really special.”

Shawe (16-5, 6-0 ORVC) played all of last season without Audrey Barron, a key player who suffered a knee injury before the season, and then lost point guard Hunter Mote midway through the year. Down two of their four-best players, the Hilltoppers limped to a nine-win finish.

While Mote is still recovering from injury, Barron was back this year and the Hilltoppers have gotten better throughout the season. Shawe finished off a 6-0 ORVC campaign by winning all six games by double-digits and a 25.5-point average margin of victory.

Thursday’s game fit that mold perfectly. Just moments after



Shawe’s Ava Turner (3) fires a 3-pointer over Rising Sun’s Carrigan Friend (10) during the Hilltoppers’ win on Thursday. The 6-foot senior scored 28 points on 9-of-14 shooting, was 6-of-8 on 3-pointers and 4-for-4 from the free-throw line while pulling down eight rebounds and dishing nine assists.

being honored on senior night, Turner lit up the scoreboard by hitting a pair of 3-pointers and scoring 10 points as Shawe jumped out to a 25-19 lead after the first quarter.

Rising Sun (5-17, 1-5 ORVC) was able to keep up through the first eight minutes but as the game wore on, Shawe simply had too much of everything. The Hilltoppers won the second

quarter 18-5 to take a 43-24 lead into the break and then blew open the game in the second half.

“The way we started was exactly what we wanted. We just didn’t get out on (their) shooters,” Shawe coach Drew Kring said. “Our game plan was just don’t let them stand and shoot it and we were kind of slow on

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HANOVER ROUNDUP

Hanover men whip Bluffton for 3rd-straight win

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Hanover men’s basketball jumped out to a huge first-half lead and cruised to a 97-73 conference win over Bluffton at home on Saturday.

The Panthers led 51-32 at the half and won the second half by five.

Six players scored in double figures for Hanover, led by Madison’s Luke Miller who had 17 points on 8-of-13 shooting. C.J. Walls had 12 points, Michael Donoho had 11 and Cam Freeman, Coleman Sater and Jeremiah Alexander each scored 10.

Hanover, now 12-8 overall and 7-5 in the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference, travels to Rose-Hulman on Wednesday and heads to Manchester on Saturday.

WOMEN’S BASKETBALL ROLLS BLUFFTON

Hanover’s women scored 27 points in the first quarter and never looked back in an 83-57 basketball hammering of Bluffton at home on Saturday.

Grace Bezold had 26 points and 17 rebounds to lead Hanover. Alexis Wines had 14 points and Sammy Berman had 12.

Hanover, now 15-5 overall and 9-4 in the HCAC, hosts Rose-Hulman on Wednesday and travels to Manchester on Saturday.

PANTHERS RUN AT ROSE

Hanover’s track & field teams

competed in the Friday Night Spikes Indoor event at Rose-Hulman on Friday.

The Hanover women finished sixth with five points and the men placed seventh with six. Washington University took first in both events.

Jessie Stenger had the best finish for Hanover, placing second in the women’s weight throw at 13.52 meters and third in the shot put at 12.49 meters.

Other top finishes for the Hanover women were: Natalie Day, Kennadi Lakins, Anna Stanfield and Emma Gill, third, 800 relay, 1:54.68; Lakins, ninth, shot put, 10.10m; and Callie Swegman, 10th, 1-mile run, 5:35.40.

Top finishes for the Hanover men were: Ethan Weston, third, 3000 run, 8:53.94; Layden Adair, Jayden Enderle, Anthony Lloyd and Brandon Bensouda, third, 800 relay, 1:32.67; Timothy Wilmoth, fourth, weight throw, 14.59m; Lloyd, seventh, 60 dash, 7.15; Sean Woods, eighth, pole vault, 4.35m; Alex Bower, ninth, long jump, 5.96m; and Enderle, 10th, 200 dash, 23.41.

Switzerland County’s Nathan Furnish, now a sophomore at Franklin, finished 19th in the 1-mile run in 4:51.31 and was 11th in the 1600 relay in 3:47.70. Madison’s Eli Dodge, now a freshman at DePauw, was 23rd in the 200 dash in 24.15.

Hanover competes in the Anderson Invitational on Saturday.

LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

TUESDAY, FEB. 4

BASKETBALL

Southwestern girls vs. Switzerland Co., IHSAA Class 2A Sectional at South Ripley, 6 p.m.

Madison girls vs. Silver Creek, IHSAA Class 3A Sectional at Scottsburg, 7:30 p.m.

Carroll Co. boys hosts Owen Co., 7:30 p.m.

Trimble Co. boys at Gallatin Co., 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 5

BASKETBALL

Hanover women hosts Rose-Hulman, 7 p.m.

Hanover men at Rose-Hulman, 7:30 p.m.

Shawe girls vs. Trinity Lutheran, IHSAA Class A Sectional at Hauser, 6 p.m.

THURSDAY, FEB. 6

BASKETBALL

Carroll Co. girls host Gallatin Co., 7:30 p.m.

Madison boys host Seymour, 7:30 p.m.

Shawe boys host Lanesville, 7:30 p.m.

Southwestern boys at South Ripley, 7:30 p.m.

SWIMMING

Madison, Shawe, Southwestern, Switzerland Co. girls, IHSAA Sectional Preliminaries at Floyd Central, 6 p.m.

FRIDAY, FEB. 7

BASKETBALL

Shawe/Trinity Lutheran girls vs. Jac-Cen-Del/Hauser, IHSAA Class A Sectional at Hauser, 6 p.m.

Southwestern/Switzerland Co. girls vs. South Ripley, IHSAA Class 2A Sectional at South Ripley, 6 p.m.

Trimble Co. girls host Henry Co., 6 p.m.

Carroll Co. boys host Gallatin Co., 7:30 p.m.

Madison/Silver Creek vs. Scottsburg, IHSAA Class 3A Sectional at Scottsburg, 7:50 p.m.

Trimble Co. boys host Henry Co., 7:30 p.m.

Strong start not enough for Madison in 86-69 loss to Silver Creek

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Madison got off to a fantastic start and led by as many as nine in the first quarter before Silver Creek roared to life and pulled away for an 86-69 boys basketball win Friday at Salm Gym.

The Cubs went 8-for-12 from the floor in the first quarter and knocked down six 3-pointers as they sprinted out to a 22-13 lead, forcing Silver Creek coach Brandon Hoffman to call two timeouts.

But the Dragons, ranked fifth in Class 3A, responded and eventually took the lead by halftime. Creek then pulled away from there.

The loss ended Madison's three-game win streak — it's first such streak since the 2020-21 season — but it did little to damper coach Danny Gibson's spirits.

"I'm really proud of my team. Silver Creek has some talent, and we were aware of that," Gibson said. "We knew this game could be a fast-paced game, and we kind of like that anyway. But my guys fought to the very, very end, and they have some really good guards. And we came in, we were focused on their guards, and we did a really good job on their guards. So I'm actually happy about that."

Madison (7-10) has made a habit of quick starts in recent games, but



Silver Creek's Kasen Daeger (3) grabs a rebound in front of Madison's Carlos Salom during Friday's game at Salm Gym in Madison.

nothing compared to the onslaught unleashed on the Dragons in the opening eight minutes Friday.

Silver Creek (16-3) took an early 3-0 lead on a 3-pointer by Jerron Miles, but the rest of the quarter belonged to the Cubs. Landon True knocked down three triples, Zach Vinup had two 3-pointers and scored 10 points and Carlos Salom hit a three as Madison led 22-13 with 18 seconds to go in the quarter.

Silver Creek's comeback began before the first quarter ended. Brandon Hunter hit two free throws

and Dane Sprigler hit a bucket — all over the final 13 seconds — to cut the Madison lead to 22-17 by the end of the period.

Silver Creek carried that momentum shift over into the second and seized the lead for good on a Kason Daeger bucket with 4:18 left in the first half. The Dragons stretched it out from there, leading 43-35 at halftime and 67-55 after three quarters while pulling away for the win.

Madison cooled considerably after that quick start and ended up shooting 45% (22-for-49) from the floor, including 12-of-



Madison's Damon Harden (13) turns the corner on Silver Creek's Jerron Miles (0) during Friday's game in Madison.

31 on free throws. Silver Creek, meanwhile, shot 52% (26-for-50) for the game and was a whopping 29-for-39 from the free-throw line, compared to 13-for-18 for Madison.

Damon Harden scored 18 points and had four rebounds to lead Madison while True had 14 points and five rebounds, Vinup scored 12 points and had five rebounds and Mason Davis had 11 points and four assists.

Brody McLaughlin came off the bench to score 25 points to lead Silver Creek. Daeger had 14 points, Hunter and Walker Hoffman each scored 13 and

Miles had 11.

"The good thing about a loss like this is that you got another one to bounce back tomorrow, and our guys were hurt by this," Gibson said. "I think we're going to see a motivated and angry team tomorrow (against North Harrison)."

Gibson proved to be prophetic as Madison bounced back from the loss to Silver Creek by beating North Harrison 63-49 on the road Saturday for its fourth win in the past five games.

After the two teams played to an 11-11 tie in the first quarter, Madison

took a 26-19 lead at the half and 46-36 by the end of the third quarter.

Madison hit only eight 3-pointers in the game — a rarity for the Cubs — but was 15-for-23 at the free-throw line and committed only nine turnovers while winning the rebounding battle 38-30.

Davis had 18 points, seven rebounds and four assists for Madison. True had 17 points and four rebounds and Vinup had a double-double of 16 points and 12 rebounds.

Madison hosts Seymour on Thursday then heads to Batesville on Saturday for an afternoon contest.



Southwestern's Jeter Chatham (10) drives around South Dearborn's Scout Gray (1) during the Rebels' homecoming win on Saturday.

Rebels sweep weekend with blowouts over Milan, South Dearborn

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Southwestern showed no hangover from holding senior night and homecoming on back-to-back nights, posting two blowout wins in boys basketball at home.

On Friday, the Rebels honored their three seniors and then proceeded to blow out Milan, 88-44. On Saturday, Southwestern crowned its own Adam Traylor as homecoming king and then hammered South Dearborn 75-52.

It was exactly the type of performances that Southwestern coach Zac Nussbaum was looking for.

"We talked about that in the locker room about just how proud we are of them. They were focused on senior night last night and homecoming tonight," Nussbaum said. "There's a lot of distractions, but when it was time to play ball, they were focused and executed the game plan to perfection."

Southwestern had little trouble dispatching Milan on Friday night, posting an 88-44 win to improve to 4-0 in the Ohio River Valley Conference.

Landon Kidwell and Braxton Lewis each scored 21 points to lead the Rebels while Caleb Seals had 15.

Saturday's game against South Dearborn was expected to be tougher. The Knights came into the game with an 11-5 record and riding a six-game win streak.



Southwestern's Caleb Goode (24) shoots a 3-pointer in the Rebels' homecoming win over South Dearborn on Saturday.

But Southwestern took care of them quickly. The Rebels led only 8-5 three minutes into the game but ripped off a 12-0 run to stake out a 20-5 lead just three minutes later. South Dearborn regrouped but the Rebels still led 21-11 after the first.

The second quarter was more of the same as lead never dipped back into single digits. The Rebels got Dearborn sophomore star Tyler Christian into early foul trouble, harassed the Knights into 20 turnovers on the night and led 37-20 at halftime and 52-26 after three quarters.

"Our defense was lights out, and for the most part, we did a good job taking care of the ball until late," Nussbaum said. "(South Dearborn's) best offense this year so far has been getting steals and scoring in transition and we did a really good job of limiting that tonight."

No player embodied Southwestern's physical, frantic play more than junior Braxton Lewis, who scored a career-high 32 points and was all over the floor. Lewis hit four 3-pointers, but he also attacked the rim and ended up going 8-for-9 from the free-throw line.

"He's gotten stronger and just confident. He and a couple other guys are the heart and soul of this team and it's just fun to watch him," Nussbaum said. "He's changing his speeds and has changed his pace really well, and he's seeking contact instead of avoiding it. His shots have always been there. The skill has always been there. I just love to see that the confidence is there too."

Caleb Goode also had a big game, scoring 18 points overall, most of which came in the first half as the Rebels built their big lead. Kidwell added 10 points.

Christian scored 14 points before fouling out early in the fourth quarter to lead South Dearborn. Scout Gray added 10 points for the Knights.

Southwestern travels to South Ripley on Thursday in what will be the Rebels' biggest game of the regular season. The two sectional rivals are both undefeated in ORVC play and Class 2A No. 3 South Ripley is also undefeated overall at 17-0.

"It's why you play high school sports. I think it's two of the better teams at 2A in southern Indiana," Nussbaum said. "I think our schedule has got us prepared for a big game like that, I know our boys are excited. I know they'll be ready to go. It should be a great atmosphere and should be a fun game."

BOYS HS BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

Henry jumps on Carroll early in 79-45 win

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Henry County jumped out to an early lead and never looked back, rolling to a 79-45 win over Carroll County in boys basketball Friday in New Castle.

The Wildcats led 23-12 after the first quarter, 43-21 at the half and 67-35 after three quarters.

Cooper Gutman scored 28 points to lead Carroll but no other Panther reached double figures. Karson Vaught scored five points and Trey Miller had three.

Carroll, now 6-12 overall and 2-5 in the 31st District, hosts Owen County on Tuesday and Gallatin County on Friday before traveling to Columbus Christian (Indiana) on Saturday.

SHAWE BEATS TRIMBLE

Shawe rallied in the second half to pick up a 66-55 win over Trimble



Carroll County's Karson Vaught makes a pass in the Panthers' 79-45 loss at Henry County on Friday.

County in Bedford on Saturday afternoon.

The host Raiders led 31-25 at the half but Shawe played much better over the final 16 minutes, outscoring Trimble 41-24 over that span to get the win.

"I am very proud of the boys today. We are glad

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GIRLS HS BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

Madison beats Trinity, Charlestown to close out regular season

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison girls basketball closed out the regular season in style with a pair of wins over Trinity Lutheran and Charlestown late last week.

On Thursday, Madison defeated Trinity Lutheran 61-45. Mylee McQueary had a big game with 22 points, eight rebounds and two blocks while Juliana Davis had an outstanding line of 16 points, eight rebounds, seven steals and five assists. Addison Roark and Keragan Spry each added eight points.

On Friday, Madison traveled to Charlestown and came away with a 53-42 win. Davis had 18

points and four steals, Roark had 14 points and seven rebounds and McQueary had 10 points.

Madison, now 16-5 on the season, faces third-ranked Silver Creek in the opening round of the Class 3A Sectional Tournament at Scottsburg on Tuesday.

REBELS KNOCK OFF JCD

Southwestern scored a 59-44 win at Jac-Cen-Del on Thursday in the Rebels' regular-season finale.

Mikayla Nussbaum scored 12 points to lead a balanced Rebel attack while Harlee Hill scored

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Once underdog Chiefs now an NFL juggernaut fans love to hate

BY DAVE SKRETTA
ASSOCIATED PRESS

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — The Kansas City Chiefs were once the loveable NFL underdogs, led by the good-natured coach who couldn't win the big one, the plucky quarterback with the Kermit the Frog-like voice, and the superstar tight end with charisma to spare.

Five years after their first trip to the Super Bowl in five decades, though, things have changed.

As the Chiefs prepare to face the Eagles next Sunday in New Orleans with an opportunity to win their record third consecutive Lombardi Trophy, football fans are seeing Andy Reid's bushy mustache popping up on TV commercials. They are hearing Patrick Mahomes' voice seemingly everywhere. And Travis Kelce? He's only dating the biggest pop star on the planet.

All of that and more has contributed to a profound sense of Chiefs fatigue that has turned many NFL fans against them.

"Chiefs fatigue was inevitable," explained Mike Lewis, author of "Fandom Analytics" and a professor of marketing at Emory University. "Pre-Mahomes, the Chiefs were an afterthought of a team; a small-market team was never a consistent winner. As the Chiefs grew into a dynasty, they became rivals to multiple teams, adversaries to overcome."

"In 2025, the Chiefs are perhaps the main rivals for the Ravens, Steelers, Eagles, Chargers and any other team that aspires to championships. Now, the Chiefs are the team that prevents other fandoms from reaching the promised land."

Indeed, the Chiefs have long been the rivals of the Raiders and Broncos, who play in the same division. But that team tucked away in Middle America also has become the biggest thorn in the side of the Bengals, whom they've played in consecutive AFC title games, and the Bills, whose season they have ended in four of the past five years.

Including this one. Kansas City once again denied a Buffalo a spot in the Super Bowl with a 32-29 win in the AFC title game.

"Fandom, at a fundamental level, is about identity. Being a fan is being part of community," Lewis said. "When an NFL fan's team wins, he wins. Likewise, when his team loses, he loses. All dynasties inspire fatigue and good-natured hate because it is tiring to lose to the same guys over and over."

In that respect, Lewis said, the Chiefs have taken on the role that the Patriots of Bill



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Philadelphia Eagles quarterback Jalen Hurts, left, and Kansas City Chiefs quarterback Patrick Mahomes (15) shake hands following an NFL football game on Nov. 20, 2023, in Kansas City, Mo.

Belichick and Tom Brady held for more two decades — another once-floundering franchise that found the right mix of coach and quarterback and became a dynasty.

"If you're a Pittsburgh fan and it's 10 years ago, and the Chiefs are floundering and they have a good year here or there, it's easy to be like, 'I kind of like the Chiefs too,' because they don't threaten your team," said Dr. Dan Wann, who teaches psychology and studies fandom at Murray State University. "When that team gets successful and passes you," Wann said, "it goes from, 'Oh, isn't that cute?' to 'They beat our (butt) again.' It changes the perspective. Think of the Cubs; they were the loveable losers. And then they started winning."

EMBRACE THE HATE

Mahomes and Kelce are the most visible members of the most successful franchise in the NFL, so of course they hear what fans say about them, especially when the quarterback and tight end team up for celebrity golf tournaments and other events.

They have their share of fans. Everyone still wants their photo or autograph. But they also hear plenty from the detractors.

"I try not to listen to it too much," Mahomes said. "I try to embrace who we have in this locker room, the personalities and how we enjoy playing football, and I believe if we play football the right way and compete, I'll always have my guys' backs."

Even when conspiracy theorists claim that NFL officials are calling games so that Kansas City will win.

That was one of the prevailing storylines from the AFC title game, though almost every data point — whether it be number of penalties, penalty yardage or the time in the game in which the flags flew — proved the exact opposite.

Still, there were several Chiefs players, including linebacker Drue Tranquill,

who spoke out against the perceived favoritism on social media.

"Yeah, I don't care," Reid said of the conspiracies, quite matter-of-factly. "I don't get into that. I don't use it with the guys."

Nevertheless, all those detractors seem to have galvanized the Chiefs, just as they have their fan base. Take the Kansas City-based streetwear brand Made Mobb, which sells a line of shirts and hoodies in Chiefs colors that read simply: "Villains." Another apparel company, Charlie Hustle, has shirts that read: "Kansas City Versus The World."

FASCINATION AND OVERSATURATION

Turn on the TV and there is Reid, chowing down on "chicken nuggies" or drawing up the "bundlerooskie" for insurance company State Farm. Or Mahomes, pitching Subway sandwiches, watching TV with the Coors Light bear or slinging a ball around the field in his Oakley sunglasses. Or Kelce, hosting game shows and dropping in on "Saturday Night Live."

None of which is surprising when you consider that a study by digital marketing agency Hennessey Digital late last year found that Kelce was the NFL's most marketable player. Mahomes was right behind his good buddy at No. 2.

It's all fun for Chiefs fans, who are rightfully proud of their own. It's oversaturation for fans of other NFL franchises.

"Athletes and other entertainers need to be wary, every time you turn around, there they are. It can start to grate on peoples' nerves," Wann said. "People are going to be like, 'Oh, my gosh. Them again?' A good example is the Yankees. They are always the Saturday game of the week, and people get tired of it. I don't know if it's jealousy or too much of a good thing."

Maybe a little bit of both.

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Brown felt like 'paid actor' in Eagles' Super Bowl loss to KC

BY DAN GELSTON
ASSOCIATED PRESS

PHILADELPHIA — A.J. Brown lingered with some of his Eagles teammates outside the Los Angeles Lakers' locker room like any fan who had even a hint of a chance to hug it out with LeBron James.

Sure enough, James spotted Brown, Darius Slay and other Eagles players, threw his arm as thick as a log around Brown's shoulder and posed for photos with the NFC champions. James knows a thing or two — four, actually — about winning championships, and the good fortune of truly rubbing shoulders with the NBA's scoring king was one the star Eagles receiver could not pass up.

"He's one of my favorite players," Brown said. "I didn't grow up watching Michael Jordan. I grew up watching LeBron."

Brown even ripped a page out of James' championship playbook this season when he was caught reading a book on the bench. James flipped through "The Alchemist" by Paulo Coelho during a shootaround in the 2018 NBA Eastern Conference Finals while Brown passed time during a game with "Inner Excellence" by self-help author Jim Murphy.

Brown, who studied journalism while in college at Mississippi, knows the ultimate headline in bold letters above the fold still awaits the Eagles: Super Bowl champions.

Brown and the Eagles were oh so close to hoisting the Lombardi Trophy when they lost 38-35 to the Kansas City Chiefs two years ago. Here the teams are again, ready for a rematch next weekend in New Orleans, with the Eagles still haunted by the memory of how they let their chance at winning the franchise's second Super Bowl championship slip away in the final minutes.

A play here, a play there and the Eagles could have been Super Bowl champions. Instead, most Eagles players tense up and recoil at any questions — quarterback Jalen Hurts replied "next question" when asked his most vivid memory of the Super Bowl — about that game and Brown recounted a missed opportunity for him to score a touchdown that could have swayed the outcome.

"The play really kept me up thinking about, how did I miss that and what I got confused on," Brown said.

The play? "I don't want to get into it because we may run it back," he said.

Time for the Chiefs to fire up the game film.

Brown otherwise did his part that February night in Arizona, with six catches for 96 yards and a touchdown against the Chiefs. Those kind of numbers are the norm for Brown. Playing through injuries that cost him four games and an often staid passing attack, Brown still finished with 67 catches and a team-high 1,079 yards this season, the third straight year he's topped 1,000 yards receiving with the Eagles and fifth time overall in six NFL seasons.

"A.J. is the best receiver that this city has ever seen," coach Nick Sirianni said.

Brown was rewarded last April with a three-year contract extension that included \$84 million in guaranteed money. He was set to become the highest-paid wide receiver in the NFL at \$32 million a season — until Minnesota's Justin Jefferson topped him later that summer — and he could earn as much as \$96 million over the life of the extension.

He's paid like an elite receiver.

In the Super Bowl, Brown said, he felt like nothing but a "paid actor."

Brown said if he had his way, the Eagles would

arrive Friday in New Orleans, hold a walkthrough on Saturday and play the game Sunday. His Super Bowl experience was like something out of a movie where he played the role of football player rather than acting like he would in a regular-season lead-up to a game. He has tried to steel his emotions amid this year's Super Bowl hype.

"It's about us, but it's not about us," he said. "We have so much we have to do for everyone else. The media, the fans. There's only so little time that we get to focus on what's important and that's the game."

The Eagles have a decided edge over the Chiefs among receivers, with Brown the head of the pack.

DeVonta Smith, who topped 1,000 yards receiving the previous two seasons, also missed four games but led the Eagles with 68 catches and had 833 yards receiving. Tight end Dallas Goedert — who threw three stiff-arms in a playoff touchdown against Green Bay — and even 2,000-yard rusher Saquon Barkley are regular threats to catch the ball.

"They take pride in the way they catch the ball. They take pride in the way they run routes," Sirianni said. "They take pride in the way they change games with the ball in their hands. And they take pride in the way they block and help their teammates succeed."

The Chiefs boast tight end Travis Kelce — who has lost a step but still had 97 regular-season catches — but top wide receivers DeAndre Hopkins and Juju Smith-Schuster were each held without a catch in a playoff win against Houston.

Brown said he's been turning down media requests "left and right" because when it comes to Super Bowl hype, "none of this stuff matters."

All he cares about is winning that championship ring — just like LeBron.

Raiders hire Kelly as offensive coordinator

BY MARK ANDERSON
AND ROB MAADDI
AP SPORTS WRITERS

Chip Kelly is returning to the NFL as the Las Vegas Raiders' offensive coordinator, a person with knowledge of the decision said Sunday.

The person spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity because the team hasn't announced the hire.

Kelly was the offensive coordinator on Ohio State's national championship team this past season after previously serving as the head coach at Oregon and UCLA as well as the Philadelphia Eagles and San Francisco 49ers.

This was the second major personnel decision made by new Raiders coach Pete Carroll. He also retained defensive coordinator Patrick Graham last week.

In hiring Kelly, the Raiders will try to spark an offense that was fourth worst this past season with 303.2 yards per game and last in rushing with a 79.8-yard average.

Among the priorities will be trying to find a quarterback in an AFC West that includes Patrick Mahomes, Justin Herbert and Bo Nix — all who took their teams

to the playoffs this season. Mahomes is in the Super Bowl for the third consecutive time as the Kansas City Chiefs try to capture an unprecedented third straight Lombardi Trophy.

But the Raiders' offensive problems are wide ranging. They failed to adequately replace running back Josh Jacobs, who signed with the Green Bay Packers. The Raiders also lost a game-changer at wide receiver when Davante Adams was traded during the season to the New York Jets.

But there are some areas of optimism. Brock Bowers had a historic season for a rookie tight end, Jakobi Meyers put together his first 1,000-yard receiving season and offensive line-men Jackson Powers-Johnson and DJ Glaze proved to be strong building blocks as rookies along with tackle Kolton Miller.

Kelly established himself as a creative offensive mastermind as Oregon's offensive coordinator in 2007 and 2008 and then as the Ducks' head coach the following four seasons. He went 46-7, appearing in the Bowl Championship Series national championship game in 2010 season and finishing in the top four of

the AP poll his last three years.

Oregon finished in the top three offensively all three of those final seasons, averaging more than 500 yards per game each time.

The Ducks ran a high-tempo offense designed to wear out opposing defenses and limit the ability of opponents to substitute players before rules were later established to more level the playing field.

Kelly then went to Philadelphia for three seasons, going 10-6 each of his first two seasons. He was fired after going 6-9 in 2015.

The 49ers then hired Kelly, who lasted just one season after posting a 2-14 record.

He returned to college football in 2018 at UCLA, but got off to a slow start with losing records in each of his first three seasons. The Bruins went 25-13 over his final three years, though Kelly's job security was regularly in question.

He left after the 2023 season to direct Ohio State's offense. The Buckeyes rolled through the College Football Playoff, scoring 83 points in the first two rounds before defeating Texas 28-14 in the semifinals and Notre Dame 34-23 in the title game.

COURIER AREA SPORTS SHORTS

BY THE COURIER STAFF

- Southwestern junior varsity girls basketball defeated Jac-Cen-Del 46-23 on the road on Thursday.

Annie Ford had 16 points for the Rebels and Chloe Sprayberry had 10.

Southwestern ends the season with a 13-1 record, the best winning percentage in Lady Rebel JV history.

- Southwestern scored a 65-55 win over South Dearborn in junior varsity boys basketball on Saturday.

Luke Morrow and Andrew Norrbaum scored 17 points each to lead the Rebels while Kaedon Higgins had 10.

Southwestern travels to South Ripley on Thursday.

- Shawe defeated Trimble County 33-32 in junior varsity boys basketball on Friday.

Nate Fewell had 12 points for the Hilltoppers while Aiden Edmondson and Joey Hart had six each.

Shawe hosts Lanesville on Thursday.

- Madison junior varsity boys basketball lost 66-40 at home to Silver Creek on Friday.

Matt McCarty had 12

points for the Cubs and Kevan Malone scored 10.

Madison hosts Seymour on Thursday.

- The Hanover Parks Department now has applications for its youth baseball and softball leagues.

There are five age groups available from ages three through 12. Cost is \$30 with a second child for \$25 and a third \$20. Deadline is March 26. All applications received by the deadline are guaranteed a roster spot.

For more information, contact Scott Davidson at sdavidson@townofhanover.net, 812-806-1042 or 812-292-4282.

- The Madison Parks and Recreation Department will offer coed T-Ball for children ages 4-6 this summer.

In addition to the return of T-ball, Madison Parks and Recreation will also offer youth baseball and softball programs for older children.

A Rookie League will be available for kids ages seven to 10, with skill-level-based instruction

emphasizing fun and growth. For children ages 10 and older, Minor League Baseball and Softball will provide opportunities

for scrimmages and skill development in an instructional setting. The Major League will offer a similar format for participants ages 12 and up, focusing on advanced skill-building through scrimmages rather than official games.

Practices for all leagues will begin the week of May 2 with schedules determined based on the number of teams and available coaches. Each participant will receive a team t-shirt and baseball cap to kick off the season.

Registration is \$25, and families can register online at madison-in.gov/summersports. Families with children outside the recommended age range are encouraged to contact Whitney Burdzilauskas at wburdzilauskas@madison-in.gov to discuss enrollment options. Those interested in coaching are also encouraged to reach out to Burdzilauskas.

LOCAL LEAGUES

HANOVER PARKS DEPARTMENT

Saturday, Feb. 1

Girls Basketball

'A' Division

Premier Lawns & Landscapes Purple Cheetahs 12, Taunya's Creative Cuts Pink Flamingos 4 — Auburn Cline had 6 points and Emery Schafer 4 for the Purple Cheetahs. Arianna Haycraft had

4 for the Pink Flamingos.

'B' Division

Wi Salon Suites Pink Dragons 12, Taunya's Creative Cuts Red Thunder 8 — Abby Schaefer had 6 points and Stella Downey 4 for the Pink Dragons. Nora McQueary had 4 points and Madelyn Brawner and Althea Wheatley scored 2 each for the Red Thunder.

Multiple changes to reshape NBA All-Star Game

A breakdown of the new format

BY TIM REYNOLDS
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

The NBA All-Stars have been selected. Next up: Assigning them to teams.

The 10 players designated as starters were announced on Jan. 23, the remaining 14 players designated as reserves were revealed Thursday — and now, those 24 players will be drafted onto eight-player teams for the games that will be played on Feb. 16 in San Francisco.

TNT analysts and basketball greats Shaquille O’Neal, Charles Barkley and Kenny Smith will draft the teams on Feb. 6. The eight-player teams will bear their names — Team Shaq, Team Charles and Team Kenny. They’ll pick from this pool of players:

- LeBron James and Anthony Davis of the Los Angeles Lakers
- Donovan Mitchell, Evan Mobley and Darius

Garland of the Cleveland Cavaliers

- Jayson Tatum and Jaylen Brown of the Boston Celtics
- Giannis Antetokounmpo and Damian Lillard of the Milwaukee Bucks
- Shai Gilgeous-Alexander and Jalen Williams of the Oklahoma City Thunder
- Jalen Brunson and Karl-Anthony Towns of the Minnesota Timberwolves
- Cade Cunningham of the Detroit Pistons
- Anthony Edwards of the Minnesota Timberwolves
- James Harden of the Los Angeles Clippers
- Kevin Durant of the Phoenix Suns
- Nikola Jokic of the Denver Nuggets
- Stephen Curry of the Golden State Warriors
- Pascal Siakam of the Indiana Pacers
- Tyler Herro of the Miami Heat
- Alperen Sengun of the Houston Rockets
- Jaren Jackson Jr. of the Memphis Grizzlies
- Victor Wembanyama

of the San Antonio Spurs

HOW THE TOURNAMENT WORKS
The games will be fast. Games are to 40 points; first one to reach that total wins. The two semifinal winners will meet in the All-Star final, that game also goes only to 40 points.

VOTING FORMAT
There was a weighted formula to pick the 10 players designated as “starters.” It was 50% fan vote, 25% media panel vote, 25% current player vote. NBA head coaches picked the 14 players designated as “reserves.”

But the starter and reserve columns won’t mean much on game night, since there will be 15 different players starting — five from each of the three teams — and only nine players coming off the bench in those semifinal games.

HOW THE TOURNAMENT WORKS
The Rising Stars event winner — that tournament

will be held Feb. 14, another four-team event made up of first- and second-year players — will be the fourth team in the All-Star games on Feb. 16. That team will be called Team Candace, for Candace Parker.

WHY THE CHANGE
NBA Commissioner Adam Silver has wanted a more competitive All-Star event for some time, and this change comes after the teams combined to score a record 397 points — 211-186 was the final — in last season’s game at Indianapolis.

The teams combined to take 289 shot attempts in last year’s game, 94% of those being either inside the paint or beyond the

3-point line.

COACHING STAFFS
Kenny Atkinson of the Cleveland Cavaliers will coach one All-Star team, Mark Daigneault of the Oklahoma City Thunder will coach another, and two of their assistants — one from each team — will have the other teams under their direction.

Cleveland and Oklahoma City are sending their staffs to the game because those are the teams with the best records in the Eastern and Western Conferences.

PRIZE MONEY
There is a prize pool of \$1.8 million for the All-Star Game.

Each player on the All-Star champion team gets

\$125,000, each player on the runner-up team will get \$50,000 and the players on the teams eliminated in the semifinals will each get \$25,000.

CHIEFS

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Some of that oversaturation is a byproduct of Kelce’s relationship with pop star Taylor Swift, which has created thousands if not millions of new Chiefs fans, but which also has alienated other NFL fans. Over the past 18 months, they’ve grown weary of game broadcasts constantly showing Swift in stadium suites, often with celebrity pals such as WNBA star Caitlin Clark.

At least, that’s their perception. The reality is Swift had 54 seconds of screen time during the CBS broadcast of last year’s Super Bowl, when the Chiefs rallied to beat San Francisco in overtime. The entire broadcast lasted 4 hours, 8 minutes.

“These guys bring ratings and impressions,” Lewis said, “but to other fandoms, it feels like rivals are tormenting them. Not only do they regularly lose to Mahomes, but they also

have to see him and hear his ‘non-traditional’ voice in ad after ad. Kelce is the future Hall of Famer with movie star looks and is dating Taylor Swift. No fan wants to see their rivals living this well.


“Taylor is part of the story as well,” Lewis added. “She brings Swifties and anti-Swifties.”

They in turn become pro-Chiefs and anti-Chiefs.

There are plenty of the former. There are becoming more and more of the latter.


“Look, we love to see peo-

ple on top fall, right? That’s one thing we know from sports fan research,” Wann said. “We love to see these people on top crumble and get theirs, and now they’re down here with the rest of us losers. So you can get that at a team level. Everybody loves a championship story. But then you’re like, ‘You got to be kidding me. They’re winning again.’”




Jefferson County Soil and Water Conservation District 76th Annual Meeting
The Jefferson County Soil and Water Conservation District will hold their 76th Annual Meeting on Thursday, February 13th beginning at 5:30 pm at the Jefferson County SW-CD Office, Conference room, 3767 West SR 256, Madison. This event will be free to the community and snacks will be provided but we do ask that you RSVP by February 6th. This will be a regular business meeting with the Annual Report present and an election will be held. You can RSVP to (812) 265-7609 or Kristin.miller@jeffersoncounty.in.gov.

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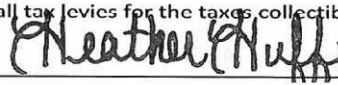
LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF JEFFERSON COUNTY OF TAX RATES CHARGED

Notice is hereby given that the Tax Duplicates for the several taxing units of Jefferson County, Indiana for the year of **2024 payable in 2025** are now in the hands of the County Treasurer, who is ready to receive the taxes charged thereon. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100.00 worth of taxable real and personal property. The taxes are delinquent after **May 12, 2025, and November 10, 2025.**

TAX RATES CHARGED FOR YEAR 2024 PAYABLE IN THE YEAR 2025	TOWNSHIPS										CORPORATIONS			
	Graham	Hanover	Lancaster	Madison	Milton	Monroe	Republcn	Saluda	Shelby	Smyrna	Brooksbu	Dupont	Hanover	Madison
County General	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780	0.5780
Health	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117	0.0117
Property Reassessment (2015)	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098	0.0098
Cumulative Bridge	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600	0.0600
Cum Capital Development	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226	0.0226
Cumulative Courthouse	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090	0.0090
Election	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055	0.0055
Cemetary Board	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013	0.0013
Cumulative Voting Machine	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065	0.0065
Cumulative Jail	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153	0.0153
TOTAL COUNTY	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197	0.7197
Township General	0.0314	0.0260	0.0441	0.0131	0.0227	0.0759	0.0264	0.0341	0.0481	0.0239	0.0227	0.0441	0.0260	0.0131
Township Assistance	0.0134	0.0170	0.0110	0.0131	0.0154	0.0208	0.0264	0.0170	0.0066	0.0047	0.0154	0.0110	0.0170	0.0131
Fire & EMS	0.0182	0.0344	0.0225	0.0524	0.0351	0.0345	0.0285	0.0338	0.0251	0.0369				
Cum Fire (Twp)							0.0328			0.0146				
Park & Rec								0.0170						
TOTAL TOWNSHIP	0.0630	0.0774	0.0776	0.0786	0.0732	0.1312	0.1141	0.1019	0.0798	0.0801	0.0381	0.0551	0.0430	0.0262
Debt Service	0.3622	0.1645	0.3622	0.3622	0.3622	0.3622	0.1645	0.1645	0.3622	0.1645	0.3622	0.3622	0.1645	0.3622
Pension Debt	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Education	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
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State of Indiana, Jefferson County: I, Heather Huff, Auditor of Jefferson County, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of all tax levies for the taxes collectible in the year 2025.



Heather Huff Auditor hspaxlp

Siakam's late 3-pointer lets Pacers fend off Hawks 132-127

BY MICHAEL MAROT
ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Pascal Siakam made a key 3-pointer late in the fourth quarter and finished with 20 points, nine rebounds and five assists to help the Indiana Pacers beat the reeling Atlanta Hawks 132-127 on Saturday night.

Andrew Nembhard had 19 points for the Pacers, who have won three straight. Obi Toppin added 18 points and nine rebounds, and Tyrese Haliburton had 17 points and

nine assists.

Trae Young scored 26 of his 34 points in the second half, leading the Hawks back from an early 18-point deficit to retake the lead midway through the third quarter. He also had 17 assists. Dyson Daniels finished with 23 points as Atlanta lost its eighth in a row.

Indiana looked as if it

would run away early, but the Hawks steadily climbed back and retook the lead midway through the third. The teams traded leads throughout the fourth quarter, but Indiana seized control when Siakam's 3 with 3:20 to go spurred an 11-3 run.

TAKEAWAYS
Hawks: Yes, the Hawks

have struggled lately, But with Young leading the way, Atlanta fought back and showed some real toughness against the surging Pacers.

Pacers: Indiana started fast, making seven 3s in the first quarter but only made five over the final three quarters. They still

need to develop a stronger knockout punch, the one they'll need if they hope to reach their preferred post-season destination.

KEY MOMENT
Siakam's 3 broke a 119-119 tie and when Aaron Nesmith followed Siakam's shot with another 3, the

Pacers led 125-119. No, it didn't seal it. But it did give Indiana enough breathing room with 2:52 left.

KEY STAT
Indiana only had 11 turnovers and wound up with a 15-5 advantage in points off turnovers.

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	Local Fund Number	Local Fund Name	Beg Cash & Inv Bal Jan. 1, 2024	Receipts	Disbursements	End Cash & Inv Bal Dec. 31, 2024
Governmental	1	Belterra	\$28,554.72	\$0.00	\$10,395.00	\$18,159.72
Activities	3	Fire Fighting	\$6,894.60	\$6,380.32	\$5,000.00	\$8,274.92
	4	Township	\$64,607.65	\$41,989.43	\$38,311.81	\$68,285.27
	5	Township Assistance	\$10,422.24	\$4,701.28	\$1,457.33	\$13,666.19
	8	Cemetery Trust	\$6,932.71	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,932.71
		Total All Funds	\$117,411.92	\$53,071.03	\$55,164.14	\$115,318.81

CERTIFICATION

State of Indiana
SS:
Switzerland County

I, Travis Miller, Trustee of CRAIG TOWNSHIP, Switzerland County, Indiana, do solemnly affirm under the penalty of perjury that the preceding report contains the information required by Indiana code 36-6-4-13, and is, true and correct; that the amounts with which I am charged in this report are all of the amounts received by me; and that the various items of expenditures credited have been fully paid in the amounts stated; that such payments were made without express or implied agreement that any portion thereof shall be retained by or repaid to me or to any other person. A complete abstract that contains the statements required under Indiana Code 36-6-4-13(a)(5) and (a)(6) is available for inspection in the county auditor's office.

I further affirm that a complete and detailed annual report, together with all accompanying vouchers showing the names of persons having been paid money by the township, have been filed as required by law in the office of the County Auditor, and that copies of such annual report are in custody of the Township Board and the State Board of Accounts. Said report is subject to inspection by any taxpayer of the township.

/s/ Travis Miller
CRAIG TOWNSHIP Trustee
Telephone: 812-427-3928

Date this report was to be published: 2/4/2025

Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) to before me, the Chairman of the Township Board of CRAIG TOWNSHIP at its annual meeting, this 27th day of January, 2025.

/s/ Lynda Spiller
CRAIG TOWNSHIP Board Chairman

This report was received, accepted, and approved by the Township Board at its annual meeting, this 27th day of January, 2025.

CRAIG TOWNSHIP Board:
/s/ Lynda Spiller, Craig Township Board Chairman
/s/ Roberta VonBargen, Township Board
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Calipari and Arkansas take down No. 12 Kentucky at Rupp

BY AARON GERSHON
THE CATS' PAUSE

LEXINGTON — Emotions were at an all-time high inside Rupp Arena as Kentucky welcomed back its former head coach, John Calipari and his Arkansas Razorbacks, which includes three former Wildcats and several former UK assistants. The game itself saw Calipari get the last laugh as his Razorbacks, who entered play just 1-6 in SEC play, knocked off No. 12 ranked Kentucky 89-79.

“I have a locker room that is as hurt as we have been all season long,” UK head coach Mark Pope said postgame. “We needed to win a game, so it didn’t matter who it was against,” Calipari said.



Arkansas coach John Calipari directs traffic Saturday against Kentucky in Rupp Arena. Arkansas beat the Wildcats 89-79 in his first return to his former school.

“Kentucky is a really good team. We’re fortunate. We had to shoot 55% (from three) and 52

(percent from the field) to win the game. If we don’t do that, we lose the game.” With the loss, Ken-

tucky dropped to 15-5 overall and 4-4 in SEC play. The Hogs handed UK was its first Quad 2 loss of the season, as Arkansas entered play ranked 60th in the NET. Calipari’s Razorbacks improved to 13-8 overall and 2-6 in SEC play with the upset win. Kentucky would counter a 4-for-5 start from three by Arkansas with a 4-for-4 start from range to take an early 18-12 lead with 14:23 left in the opening half and force Calipari to call timeout. Arkansas then had a 25-14 run to take a 37-32 lead with 5:13 left in the opening half. From there, UK outscored the Hogs 12-9 for the remainder of the half but still trailed 46-45 going into halftime

as the Razorbacks hit nine first half threes. The second half got off to a disastrous start for the Wildcats as a 9-2 Arkansas run extended the Razorback lead to 55-47 with 16:39 remaining and forced Mark Pope to call timeout. A three by former Wildcat Zvonimir Ivisic pushed Arkansas’ lead to 11 at 58-47. Kentucky would punch back by briefly cutting Arkansas’ lead down to six at 62-56 with 14:29 left to play, but the Hogs answered back with a 5-0 run of its own to push its lead back to 11 with 13:16 left to play. A dunk by Brandon Garrison cut Arkansas’ lead down to 76-70 with 6:58 remaining, but the Razorbacks would punch back

with a 12-3 run, which proved to be the final nail in Kentucky’s coffin. Kentucky was led in scoring by Amari Williams, who scored 22 points and added 11 rebounds to record a double-double. He was joined in double figures by Jaxson Robinson (20), Ansley Almonor (12) and Otega Owhe (10). Former Wildcat Adou Thiero led Arkansas with 21 points. D.J. Wagner (17) and Zvonimir Ivisic (14), who also followed Calipari to Arkansas, joined Thiero in double figures. Kentucky will be back in action Tuesday when it travels to Oxford to visit No. 23 ranked Ole Miss (TV: Live on ESPN at 7 p.m.).

No. 10 Purdue outlasts Indiana 81-76

BY MICHAEL MAROT
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WEST LAFAYETTE — Braden Smith had a season high 24 points, Trey Kaufman-Renn made the go-ahead basket with 11 seconds left and No. 10 Purdue beat Indiana 81-76 on Friday night.

Kaufman-Renn finished with 23 points as Purdue (17-5, 9-2 Big Ten) erased a seven-point first half deficit to beat their biggest rival.

Mackenzie Mgbako led Indiana (14-8, 5-6) with 25 points. Trey Galloway had 15 points and Oumar Ballo added 14 points and eight rebounds. The Hoosiers have lost three straight and six of seven.

There were six lead changes in the final four minutes — the last coming when Kaufman-Renn made a 12-foot hook shot to give Purdue a 77-76 lead. The Boilermakers closed it out at the free throw line.

they fell just short, it was a promising sign from a team that’s been reeling.

Purdue: Coach Matt Painter has had the upper hand in this series in recent years with gritty, tough, overachieving rosters. A week between games might have contributed to a slow start, but Smith and Kaufman-Renn did just enough to win.

KEY MOMENT

Indiana had a chance to regain the lead in the closing seconds, but guard Myles Rice lost the ball as he drove toward the basket with 3.3 seconds to go. Purdue grabbed the loose ball and the Hoosiers were forced to foul.

KEY STAT

Indiana had 20 turnovers to 10 for Purdue. That gave the Boilermakers a decisive 26-15 scoring advantage off turnovers.

UP NEXT

Both teams are back in action Wednesday night. Indiana is at Wisconsin (TV: Live on Peacock at 9 p.m.), and Purdue is at Iowa (TV: Live on Peacock at 7 p.m.).

TAKEAWAYS

Indiana: The Hoosiers have struggled all season against better teams, but this game was the exception. They took a halftime lead with their best half of the season and though

Georgia Tech ends Cards’ 10-game win streak

ATLANTA — Lance Terry scored 23 points, including a jam that sparked a 9-0 run midway through the second half, and Georgia Tech rallied after trailing by 13 points to beat No. 21 Louisville 77-70 on Saturday, ending the Cardinals’ 10-game winning streak.

Louisville (16-6, 9-2 Atlantic Coast Conference) suffered its first loss since a 93-85 setback at Kentucky on Dec. 14.

Terry’s jam gave Georgia Tech (10-12, 4-7) a 53-52 lead. Terry added two 3-pointers that helped the Yellow Jackets stretch the advantage to 68-60.

Terrence Edwards Jr., from Tucker High School near Atlanta, led Louisville with 22 points.

TAKEAWAYS

Louisville: Chucky Hepburn scored 17 points. J’Vonne Hadley had 16 points before fouling out with 1:59 remaining.

Georgia Tech: After trailing 38-27 at halftime, the Yellow Jackets used a 10-0

run to pull even at 49-all on a jumper by Naithan George, who had 15 points.

KEY MOMENT

Georgia Tech led 74-70 when Louisville’s James Scott fouled Duncan Powell while attempting to block a shot near the basket with 40 seconds remaining. Instead of making a clean block that could have given the Cardinals the opportunity for a one-possession game, Powell made one of two free throws.

KEY STAT

The Cardinals made 8 of 16 3-pointers in the first half and held a big lead at 31-18 but couldn’t keep that pace, finishing 9 of 25. Louisville made only 11 of 19 free throws.

UP NEXT

Louisville visits Boston College on Wednesday. Boston College edged Florida State 77-76 on Saturday (TV: Live on ACCN at 7 p.m.).

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PARMT	35	41			TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	♣♣♣♣	The Hangover Part III ('13)			♣ 21 Jump Street			
PARSHO	221	16			(:15) ♣♣♣♣	The Mask ('94)	(P)		Dexter: Sin (N)	♣♣♣♣	Shooter ('07)		Movie			
TMC	233	74			(:10) ♣ Bad Behaviour ('23)				♣ Ida Red ('21)	Josh Hartnett.			♣ Get Rich or Die Tryin'			
TNT	27	43			(4:30) ♣ Doctor S...	Tip-Off	NBA Basketball						NBA Basketball			
USA	26	33			Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-S..	

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4	WTTV	4			CBS4..	CBS-N..	BigBa..	Sheldon	Hollywood (N)		Super Bowl (N)		Raid-Cage (N)		CBS4..	
5	WLWT	2			News	NBCN..	WLWT	Hollyw..	Chicago (N)		Chi. Fire (N)		Chicago (N)		News	
8	WISH	12			News (N)		Inside..	ET (N)	Wild Cards (SP)		Inside the NFL		News (N)		News	
9	WCPO	23			News	World..	News	Extra	Shifting/Abbott		Jeopardy! (N)		What Do?		News	
11	WHAS	11	4		News	World..	ET (N)	Inside..	Shifting/Abbott		Jeopardy! (N)		Life (N)		News	
15	WKPC	13			Ameri..	Edition	PBS News (N)		Nature		NOVA (N)		Secrets		BBCN..	
19	WXIX	10			FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopar..	Special Forces (N) (SF)				FOX19 (N)		FOX19	
32	WLKY	5	5		News	CBS-N..	Wheel	Jeopar..	Hollywood (N)		Super Bowl (N)		Raid-Cage (N)		News	
34	WBKI	7	7		Neighb..	Conners	Sheldon	BigBa..	Wild Cards (SP)		Inside the NFL		BigBa..	Sheldon	LastM..	
41	WDRB	8	9		News	News	FamFe..	FamFe..	Special Forces (N) (SF)				News (N) (Live)		News	
A&E	28	36			PDCam	PDCam	PDCam	PDCam	PDCam	PDCam	PDCam	PDCam	Ozark Law (N)		PDCam	
AMC	29	26			(3:00) ♣ Scarface	♣♣♣♣	Casino ('95)	Sharon Stone, Joe Pesci, Robert De Niro.					Movie			
COM	45	59			Family..	Family..	Family..	Family..	Family Guy		Family..	Family..	Family Guy		DailyS..	
DISC	31	38			Expedition X	Expedition			Expedition X		Expedition (N)		Bigfoot (N)		Damned	
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ESPN	32	44			SportC..	NBA	NBA Basketball				(:35) NBA Basketball					
FREE	18	40			(5:15) ♣ The Devil Wears Prada	(:55) ♣♣♣♣	Failure to Launch ('06)		Scam God (N)				700Club			
FX	40	28			(5:00) ♣ Fast & Furious Presents: H...				♣♣♣♣	Kingsman: The Secret Service ('14)			Movie			
HBO	201	17			(5:10) ♣ Mad Mo...	(:55) C.B. Strike			♣ Going to Mars: Nikki ...	(:45) ♣♣♣♣	The Color Purple ('85)					
MAX	270	73			(:20) ♣♣♣♣	Confidence ('03)			♣ War on Everyone ('16)	(:40) ♣♣♣♣	Stone ('10)		Movie			
NEWSNTN	20	20			The Hill (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo	
PARMT	35	41			TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	♣♣♣♣	The Other Guys ('10)	Will Ferrell.		♣ Tommy Boy			
PARSHO	221	16			♣♣♣♣	Tropic Thunder ('08)			♣♣♣♣	Jack Reacher ('12)			♣ Hunt for Red October			
TMC	233	74			(:05) ♣ Organ Trail ('23)				♣♣♣♣	O ('01)		(:35) ♣ Wuthering Heights	Movie			
TNT	27	43			Movie	NHL o..	NHL Hockey						NHL Hockey			
USA	26	33			Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-S..	

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5	WLWT	2		News	NBCN..	WLWT	Hollyw..	Hunting		Law-SVU		Law & Order		News	
8	WISH	12		News	ZoneE..	Inside..	ET (N)	Police 24/7 (N)		Crime Nat (N)		News (N)		News	
9	WCPO	23		News	World..	News	Extra	Extreme (N)		Scamanda (N)		Perfect Wife (N)		News	
11	WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Inside..	Extreme (N)		Scamanda (N)		Perfect Wife (N)		News	
15	WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	PBS News (N)		Antiques		Doc Martin		Father (N)		BBCN..	
19	WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopar..	Kitchen (N) (SF)		NFL Honors (N)	(Live)			FOX19	
32	WLKY	5	5	News	CBS-N..	Wheel	Jeopar..	Georgie	Ghosts	Matlock (N)		Elsbeth (N)		News	
34	WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	Conners	Sheldon	BigBa..	Police 24/7 (N)		Crime Nat (N)		News (N) (Live)		News	
41	WDRB	8	9	News	News	FamFe..	FamFe..	Kitchen (N) (SF)		NFL Honors (N)	(Live)			News	
A&E		28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48 (N)		Homicide (N)		Hunters (N)		First48	
AMC		29	26	(3:30) ♣♣♣ 2012		♣♣♣ The Day After Tomorrow ('04)				♣♣♣♣ Cast Away Tom Hanks.					
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DISC		31	38	Contraband		Contraband		Contraband		Contraband		Contraband		Contra..	
DISN		25	29	(:15) ♣♣♣♣ Big Hero 6 ('14)				Marvel..	Marvel..	StuGo	StuGo	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Marvel..	
ESPN		32	44	SportC..		Women's College Basketball			Basketball Stanford at Notre Dame			SportsC.. (N)			
FREE		18	40	(:55) ♣♣♣♣ Maleficent: Mistress of Evil ('19)		♣♣♣♣ Crazy Rich Asians ('18) (P)						700Club			
FX		40	28	(4:00) ♣ Star Wa...		♣♣♣♣♣ Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back ('80)					♣ Star Wars: Return of t...				
HBO		201	17	(5:25) Brave		(:05) ♣♣♣♣ A Different Man ('24)		C.B. Strike (N)		C.B. Strike		C.B.St..			
MAX		270	73	♣♣♣ 3 Days to Kill ('14)				♣♣♣ Crank ('06)			♣♣ Crank: High Voltage		Movie		
NEWSNTN		20	20	The Hill (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo	
PARMT		35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	♣♣♣♣ Twister ('96) Helen Hunt.				(:35) ♣ Twister			
PARSHO		221	16	(:5:05) ♣♣♣♣ The Aviator ('04)				♣ Death Without Mercy				♣♣♣♣ Gladiator Russell Crowe.			
TMC		233	74	♣♣♣ The Perfect Game ('08)				♣♣♣ Varsity Blues ('99)			(:45) ♣ The Perfect Score		Movie		
TNT		27	43	Jokers		Tip-Off (N)		NBA Basketball				NBA Basketball			
USA		26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU "Lust"		♣♣♣♣ Independence Day ('96) Will Smith.				Movie			

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	4							6
7	1							
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	6			5			8	

SUDOKU

How to play:
Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9.

	4	9					1	
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			4		7			
4		1			6	2	8	
2								9
	8	3	2			7		6
			1		9			
6				8			2	
	2					9	7	

SUDOKU

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Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9.

HOROSCOPE

FEB. 4

ARIES (March 21-April 19) The impatience you might feel could be entirely self-induced. You may have more than enough time if you can learn to put aside the distractions which eat up your day. Realize that doing the work could take far less time than avoiding it.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) When you vie for attention by making unexpected changes to the rules, you could send a misleading message. Using good manners could enhance your reputation and put others at ease. Don't lend anything out that you can't afford to lose.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Competition may drive you closer towards your dreams. Understanding the incentive to succeed, whether it's outdoing someone else or turning tasks into a game, could help you excel. Stay focused on achieving your goals.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Getting buried in distractions could be the easiest way to lose track of what's important. Consider turning screens off to focus on duties or a person who needs your attention. All the silliness and fun might still be waiting when you're done.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) It may be uncommon to see common sense in action. The words you remember saying may not be the words they remember hearing. It could be easy to omit saying things you take for granted, but they won't always be able to fill in the missing pieces.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be a pillar of strength for others, not a crutch. Offering sympathy alone might not help anyone grow stronger or learn to handle their challenges wisely. Consider offering suggestions and inspiration, but don't become an enabler.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Remember, there's no free ride. You might feel discouraged or limited by rules, regulations, or attitudes in your environment, when you had hoped to add a creative touch. You may be tempted to steer clear of responsibilities.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) Everyone has a different idea of perfection. You may be tempted to surrender your vision to fit into someone else's narrative, but you ultimately know what you need. Don't let anyone dictate what your dream should be or how to achieve it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) A recent change in a project or financial matter might test your patience or resourcefulness. Remind yourself not to anticipate problems where none exist. Use your head to sort out practical ways to receive the best bang for your buck.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Despite all your sparkle and shine, this may not be the time to form deep relationships. You might encounter friendly people with interesting stories, but they could be more interested in a business relationship than a social connection.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Turning up the volume isn't the way to resolve disputes. Expand your understanding of the situation and get points of view before responding. Patience might allow you to negotiate a more satisfactory outcome for all parties.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Your greatest skill could be your ability to understand the deepest feelings of others. Use your compassion and imagination to assist those in need. While you might not see immediate results, you could eventually see the impact you've made.

Sudoku solution

7	8	2	4	5	1	6	9	3
1	5	6	9	7	8	4	2	4
4	6	9	8	6	2	5	1	7
9	7	8	6	1	6	2	4	5
2	1	5	7	8	4	9	6	8
6	4	6	2	9	5	7	8	1
8	6	7	5	4	9	1	6	2
5	2	4	1	6	8	6	7	9
6	9	1	6	2	7	4	5	8

Jumble solution

GUIDE PLUMB BICKER WEASEL
LIMBO GROWTH LONGER
The computer tech prepared her pup for the snow each day by — REEBOOTING HIM

Sleuth solution

M	S	E	T	O	N	K	N	A	B
B	E	L	K	O	Y	A	S	S	A
S									
S	I	L	A	U	R	E	A	T	E
T	E	O	L	L	A	M	N		
E	B	I	S	M	S				
T	O	O	L	O	V				
A	R	I	N						
L									

JUMBLE

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

IGDEU

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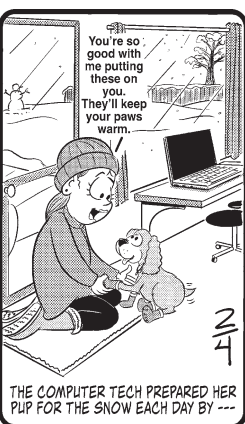
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

WORD SLEUTH

NUMISMATICS

O W T Q N K H D A X U R P M J
G D A X V S Q N S K I F D A X
V T Q O M J H F C N C A Y W L
U R P N L J H F D R I N B Z A
X V R T R D O U B L O O N Q T
O M K E I H F D B I S W C S E
B Z Y W T E Y O L L A M N V M
T R T Q O S I L A U R E A T E
N L K N I H U D N F K G D C S
A Z X W I B E L K O Y A S S A
V U S R Q M S E T O N K N A B

Monday's unlisted clue: HEDWIG

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
Tuesday's unlisted clue hint: COIN MAKING FACILITY

Alloy	Blank	Die	Luster
Assay	Bullion	Doubloon	Medals
Banknotes	Coins	Gem	Tokens
Base metal	Crown	Laureate	

SHEFFER CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- 1 Doves' home
 - 5 Coach Par-seghian
 - 8 Beach crawler
 - 12 Pizza cooker
 - 13 Greyhound vehicle
 - 14 — Martin (cognac)
 - 15 Bread sellers
 - 17 Sheltered
 - 18 Hog-wash
 - 19 Thespians
 - 21 Sheriff's star
 - 24 Hold sway
 - 25 Jealousy
 - 26 Stalks for soups
 - 30 Finale
 - 31 Give it a go
 - 32 Man-mouse link
 - 33 Sets of prayer beads
- DOWN**
- 3 Big gulp
 - 6 Eyeglass frames
 - 7 Lake flock
 - 8 Hoi —
 - 9 Enjoy
 - 10 Aspen
 - 11 Mayberry
 - 12 Officials
 - 13 with seals
 - 14 Ivy in Philly
 - 15 Literary collection
 - 16 Corporate symbol
 - 17 Perimeter
 - 18 Actress Myrna
 - 19 Winter blanket
 - 20 "Pinocchio"
 - 21 "Cheers" order
 - 22 Part of A.D.
 - 23 Film formats
 - 24 Point — Peninsula
 - 26 Record holder?
 - 27 "The Music Man"
 - 28 Ireland
 - 29 Droops
 - 31 Small combo
 - 34 Dahl of films
 - 35 Marble cake patterns
 - 37 Reggae relative
 - 38 Vatican leader
 - 39 Pundit's piece
 - 40 TV journalist Lisa
 - 41 Remain
 - 44 Lennon's partner
 - 45 Charged bit
 - 46 Conceit
 - 47 Plant seeds
- Solution time: 22 mins.**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12				13			14			
15				16			17			
			18			19	20			
21	22	23				24				
25				26			27	28	29	
30				31			32			
33				34			35			
				36			37			
38	39	40				41				
42				43	44			45	46	47
48				49				50		
51				52				53		

HOROSCOPE

FEB. 5

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Business before pleasure may be today's theme. A first date or meetup might seem like a job interview. You might get more satisfaction by organizing your closets and balancing your finances than by pursuing a new project.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Remember, you can't fit a square peg into a round hole. You might feel a bit awkward in public for the next day or two. Although the focus may be on gaining recognition, consider giving time for a developing romance, if you're single.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Embrace the spirit of sharing. Your generosity and conscientiousness could bring great reward. With a knack for organization, you might make a significant impact during social gatherings. Keep negative thoughts to yourself and allow them to pass.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You may adopt a stoic approach for major matters, but feel free to indulge in small whims. If in a relationship, your partner might surprise you with unexpected plans that could affect your weekend. Remember, the darkest hour is just before dawn.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Avoid getting involved in minor disputes or choosing sides. You might be overly competitive or too convicted in your position. Focus your attention and energy on doing your tasks to the best of your ability. There's no need to rush any sudden changes.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Focus on pleasing yourself, especially if you feel unappreciated. Take pride in your skills and care when handling various situations. Building ever more accountability and responsibility can allow you to meet the highest standards.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) You may likely shine in meetings where your business ideas could be taken into account. In a few days, you might be ready to put these ideas into action. Consider taking time to digest new information and get your to do list.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) Express yourself through a new or existing hobby. Over the next few days, you may feel more sensitive, compassionate, and imaginative. You might attract new friends who encourage you to explore the arts or focus on developing healthy habits.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Take the opportunity to learn from everyone's mistakes as well as their victories. Those who are older and wiser than you might offer nuggets of wisdom sifted from years of experience. Good manners and restraint could work in your favor.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Happiness involves more than just success and having plenty of money. While captivating news and intense conversations might keep you focused on material gain, make time for love and friendship too. Find ways to maintain a healthy balance.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Your deepest desires could take time to achieve. While you may have lofty ambitions, now is likely not the time to force changes. Instead, consider spending some time getting to know and learning from an admirable competitor for better outcomes.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Unleash your creativity and imagination. You may approach challenges like a sculptor, refining and perfecting your relationships as well as projects. Be mindful of additional responsibilities that might hinder new projects and beginnings.

Sudoku solution

8	7	6	4	9	5	2	1	
1	2	8	5	8	7	4	6	9
4	5	9	6	2	1	7	8	8
9	4	1	5	2	8	6	8	6
6	8	1	4	7	8	9	5	2
5	8	2	9	6	1	7	4	4
2	6	5	7	1	4	8	9	3
8	9	4	8	6	5	2	1	7
7	1	8	2	9	3	6	4	5

Jumble solution

LEAKY PLUMB BICKER WEASEL
FLUMB BICKER WEASEL
The new parents tried everything but couldn't get their crying infant to — SLEEP LIKE A BABY

Sleuth solution

M	T	R	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E
B	R	O	L	C	R	O	L	C	R	O
A	R	E	K	A	H	S	R	A	M	O
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JUMBLE

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AKYEL

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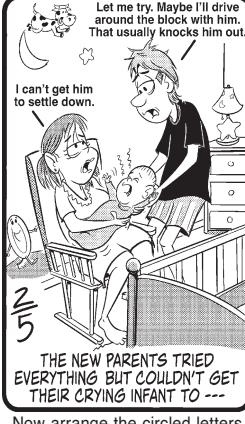
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R U R O L I E B Y V S Q N K H
E B Y P R F L W T D R O L J G
E B Y W R A L U R E P N K I G
D B Z X K O G A T P V S Q O M
K I G E E C D E T O C E A Y W
U S Q P N L I U N S N J H F E
R C A Y R D X L C I Y V U S Q
P E N E E M K J M T V R H F E
C B T E Z W O R K S I D C Y X
X A R E K A H S R A M O N V O
W F U T P R E P P E P D N A B

Tuesday's unlisted clue: MINT

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
Wednesday's unlisted clue hint: SALT — CITY

And pepper	Deposits	Marsh	Shaker
And vinegar	Flats	Mine	Water
Box	Free diet	Peter	Works
Crystal	Lick	Production	

SHEFFER CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- 1 Actor Sharif
 - 5 "Humb-bug"
 - 8 JFK guesses
 - 12 Cape —, Portugal
 - 13 In the style of
 - 14 Seniors' gp.
 - 15 Man-hattan, for one
 - 17 China (Pref.)
 - 18 "The Sopra-nos" res-taurateur
 - 19 Brunch fare
 - 21 Thick chunk
 - 24 TV spots
 - 25 Ancient invader
 - 28 Uber competi-tors
 - 30 Mas' mates
 - 33 Chef Garten
 - 34 Bo of "10"
 - 35 Pen filler
 - 36 — chi
- DOWN**
- 1 Sea predator
 - 2 Heath
 - 3 Ad agcy. client
 - 4 Debonair
 - 5 Sheep call
 - 6 Boxer Laila
 - 7 Angelic light
 - 8 Allayed
 - 9 Severe decline
 - 10 "Rule, Britan-nia!"
 - 11 Espy
 - 16 Aviv preceder
 - 20 Mardi Gras wear
 - 22 Computer brand
 - 23 Expos
 - 25 "Shoo!"
 - 26 — tear (raging)
 - 27 Hind-most parts
 - 29 Boy-friend
 - 31 Comic Gasteyer
 - 32 Enjoy
 - 33 June hon-orees
 - 38 Ringo, for one
 - 40 Analyze
 - 42 Trigger's rider
 - 43 Baltic feeder
 - 44 Queen of Carthage
 - 45 Pinnacle
 - 47 Biblical king
 - 48 Aachen article
 - 49 Serb or Croat
 - 52 Musician Yoko
 - 53 Private aid gp.
- Solution time: 23 mins.**

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25	26	27			28		29		30	31
32					34				35	
36					37				38	
			39	40			41		42	
43	44				45		46		47	48
49					51	52	53			
54					55			56		
57					58			59		

Connecticut All-Star Bonner headed to Fever

BY DOUG FEINBERG
AP BASKETBALL WRITER

DeWanna Bonner is headed to Indiana to join Caitlin Clark and the Fever, a person familiar with the deal told The Associated Press on Sunday.

The person spoke to the AP on condition of anonymity because no official announcement has been made.

The six-time All-Star played in Connecticut the last five years, helping

the Sun reach the WNBA Finals in 2022. She averaged 15.0 points, 6.0 rebounds and 2.0 assists last season and made the All-Star team.

A move to Indiana reunites Bonner with coach Stephanie White, whom she played for in Connecticut the last two seasons.

Bonner adds championship experience to the Fever, who are led by Clark, the reigning Rookie of the Year, and Aliyah

Boston, who won the award in 2023. The 37-year-old Bonner won two titles in Phoenix, where new Indiana GM Amber Cox was president of the team.

ESPN first reported the signing.

The Fever, who were eliminated in the first round of the playoffs by Connecticut last year, also have added Natasha Howard and re-signed Kelsey Mitchell. They also traded for Sophie Cunningham as

part of a four-team deal.

“I’m excited we made some great moves,” Clark said a few hours before her alma mater, Iowa, retired her jersey. “I think you know (president of basketball and business operations) Kelly (Krauskopf) and Amber and the whole Fever organization are wanting to help us win now. That’s really important. They are putting really good pieces together that will comple-

ment each other really, really well.”

With Bonner leaving Connecticut, the entire starting five of the Sun is no longer with the franchise. Brionna Jones left in free agency for Atlanta and Dijonai Carrington and Ty Harris were traded to Dallas.

Alyssa Thomas, Bonner’s fiancée, was traded to Phoenix after getting the franchise tag from Connecticut. Thomas told the

AP at Unrivaled that they would love to continue to play together, but if it didn’t work out, that would be OK, too.

“At the end of the day, we’re both individuals and we both do what’s best for each other and ourselves,” Thomas said. “You know, we’re always going to have each other, if it’s a possibility, then, you know, we love playing with each other, but it’s not it’s not the end of the world if we don’t.”

SHAWE

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some rotations. But water always finds its level and our defense found it, and kind of got us really going in that second quarter.”

Turner never cooled off and finished with 28 points on 9-of-14 shooting. The 6-foot senior was 6-of-8 on 3-pointers and 4-for-4 from the free-throw line while pulling down eight rebounds and dishing out nine assists for a near triple-double.

“That’s the special thing I think about our team. We can all step up and score and hit big shots,” Turner said. “We have multiple players who can do that, which makes it hard for other teams to guard us and just stop us.”

“That’s a heck of a senior night for her and I was waiting for her to break out because in the last three or four she hadn’t been shooting it like she had the previous four or five,” Kring said. “So I was glad to see it. There’s so much pressure on Audrey (Barron) and Allison (Knoebel) that when (Turner) starts like that, it makes everybody’s job so

much easier.”

Barron shrugged off a slow start to finish with 26 points while Knoebel had 11 points, seven rebounds and six assists.

Tamryn Miller led Rising Sun with 11 points.

Shawe now turns its attention to the IHSAA Sectional, which begins this week at Hauser High School. The Hilltoppers face off against five-time defending sectional champion Trinity Lutheran (12-10) in the opening round on Wednesday.

Shawe, which saw its stellar 16-win season ended by Trinity two years ago, beat the Cougars by 16 earlier in the season but Kring is not taking anything lightly.

“We’re ready. As I told the girls, enjoy this because we’re gonna go up to Hauser to practice on Saturday and make sure we’re prepared,” Kring said. “We’re gonna play as hard as we can. We’re gonna go out there, we’re gonna shoot the shots that we shoot, and hopefully the ball goes in.”

“I think we just need to come in and play our game. Everyone just know their roles,” Turner said. “Just come in, hit our shots, just play our game and be confident. And I think we’re good.”

HENRY

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to get this win,” Shawe coach Dan Hambrick said. “It was a much-needed win and after a few tough losses. We closed this one out good.”

Braiden Smith had 26 points and 10 rebounds to lead Shawe while Loren Stiver scored a career-high 22 points.

MADISON

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10. Rorie Scroggins and Olivia Simpson had eight each and Savannah Nussbaum scored seven.

Southwestern ends the regular season with a 15-8 overall record including 4-2 Ohio River Valley Conference. The Rebels face Switzerland County in the opening round of the Class 2A Sectional at South Ripley on Tuesday.

CARROLL BEATS HENRY

Carroll County posted a 58-50 win at Henry

Cavaan Hambrick added eight points and Tyler Hill had eight assists. Shaw was 29-for-40 from the free-throw line as a team with Smith going 14-for-15.

On Friday, Shawe suffered a 47-41 loss at home to Rising Sun on homecoming. No statistics for the game were available.

Trimble County lost 57-27 at home to Eminence on Friday. Dylan

Penick scored eight points and Ethan Keller had seven for the Raiders.

Shawe, now 5-11 overall and 0-4 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, hosts Lanesville on Thursday and travels to New Washington on Saturday.

Trimble, now 5-17 overall and 0-7 in 31st District play, travels to Gallatin County on Tuesday and hosts Willamstown on Wednesday.

The Raiders then host Henry County on Friday.

SWITZ KNOCKS OFF MILAN

Switzerland County picked up a 79-64 win at Milan in boys basketball on Saturday.

No statistics from the game were available.

Switzerland, now 8-8 overall and 2-2 in the ORVC, hosts North Decatur this upcoming Saturday.

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